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of the Town of

**HAMPSTEAD, N. H.**

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, **1951**

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# ANNUAL REPORTS

*of the*

Selectmen, Treasurer, Collector, Highway Agents and  
Board of Education and Trustees of Public  
Library, Trustees of Trust Funds

*of the*

# TOWN of HAMPSTEAD

NEW HAMPSHIRE

FOR THE YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1951

Together with the Vital Statistics for the Year 1951  
as prepared by the Town Clerk.

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## *Dedication*

TO

THORNDYKE PUTNAM

*in appreciation of his many years of faithful service to our Town, this booklet is sincerely dedicated.*

*Born in Hampstead, in the year 1882, and educated in our public schools, at an early age he became a central figure in our Town's activities. When only twenty-one, he was appointed to the office of Ballot Clerk. From that time on, he has held a succession of public offices, which include membership on the School Board, the Board of Selectmen, and the Budget Committee. For the past twenty-seven years, he has been our Tax Collector, and at present is completing his second term as our Representative to the State Legislature.*

*His successful business ventures played an important part in the development of our Town. In 1908, he was operating his own grocery store. In 1914, he established Hampstead's first automobile agency and repair shop, where Ford cars were on display in an attractive showroom. At the same time he started Hampstead's first motorized taxi service, supplying transportation to our neighboring towns and cities. For the past twenty-five years, he has been conducting a profitable insurance agency and until recently, his spare time was utilized in assisting our local merchants, where his genial personality won him a host of new friends.*

*The announcement of his retirement, after forty-nine years of public service, has been accepted with regret. In terminating a career of distinguished service, he has set a standard of achievement, which may never again be duplicated. His loss to our Town will be keenly felt.*

*Through his courage and determination, his honesty and sense of fair play, his devotion to duty, his interest in public affairs, and his friendliness and goodfellowship, he has carved the name of Thorndyke Putnam into our Hall of Fame. We salute a great American, an honored citizen, a cherished friend, and join together in wishing him many happy years of retired life.*



THORNDYKE PUTNAM

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TOWN OFFICERS 1951

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Elected Biennially

MODERATOR

John A. Hutton, Sr.

REPRESENTATIVE TO GENERAL COURT

Thorndyke Putnam

SUPERVISORS

Glendon N. Emerson

Arthur A. Hathaway

Kenneth H. Duston

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Elected Annually

TOWN CLERK

Charles A. Brooks

SELECTMEN

Jonathan H. Wentworth 1952

Doris M. Spollett 1953

George L. Chase 1954

TREASURER

Adin E. Little

PLANNING BOARD

George Chase, ex-officio

Harry Sunanday

Edmund Lewis, Sec.

Ralph Rooney

Levi Duston, Treas.

Harvey Tuck

Thomas Franklyn, Chairman

## BOARD OF EDUCATION

Paul M. Covell 1952                      Charles B. Clark 1953  
 Arlene B. Sunanday 1954

## HIGHWAY AGENT

Cecil C. True

## COLLECTOR OF TAXES

Thorndyke Putnam

## BOARD OF HEALTH

Raymond E. Moore, M.D.

## CHIEF OF POLICE

Russell J. Hall

## DIRECTOR OF CIVIL DEFENSE

Ralph J. Rooney, Sr.

## AUDITORS

Harold H. Shedd                      Stanley P. Johnson

## TRUSTEES OF PUBLIC LIBRARY

Pearl E. Darling 1952                      Agnes D. Covell 1953  
 Madeline G. Collette 1954

## TRUSTEES OF CEMETERIES

Blinn S. Collins 1952                      William E. Richardson 1953  
 Stanley P. Johnson 1954

## TRUSTEES OF TRUST FUNDS

\*Christopher L. Miller 1952                      George M. Littlefield 1953  
 John A. Hutton, Sr. 1954

## BUDGET COMMITTEE

Glendon N. Emerson 1952                      William R. Brickett 1953  
 Arthur A. Hathaway 1952                      Stanley P. Johnson 1953  
 Kenneth H. Duston 1954                      Thorndyke Putnam 1954  
 and the Selectmen

\*Deceased





## TOWN WARRANT

### THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the Town of Hampstead in the County of Rockingham in said State, qualified to vote in Town Affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at Town Hall in said Hampstead on Tuesday, the Eleventh day of March, next at ten of the clock in the forenoon, to act upon the following subjects:

1. To choose all necessary Town Officers for the year ensuing.
2. To raise such sums of money as may be necessary to defray town charges for the ensuing year and make appropriations of the same.

|                                    |            |
|------------------------------------|------------|
| General Government                 | \$4,500.00 |
| Protection of Persons and Property | 2,050.00   |
| Health                             | 325.00     |
| Highway and Bridges                | 6,200.00   |
| Libraries                          | 1,195.00   |
| Public Welfare                     | 5,500.00   |
| Patriotic Purposes                 | 100.00     |
| Public Service Enterprises         | 800.00     |
| Unclassified                       | 175.00     |
| Interest                           | 100.00     |
| County Taxes                       | 5,000.00   |

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\$25,945.00

3. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to hire money for the use of the town in anticipation of taxes.

4. To hear reports of Auditors and Committees, and to act thereon.

5. To see if the town will vote to authorize the Selectmen to administer or dispose of any Real Estate by Public Auction acquired by the town through Tax Collector's deeds.

6. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$600.00 for the purpose of stoning two water holes. (This same amount was raised last year but due to the wet conditions it was impossible to do the work). This sum of money to be held over for another year if it is impossible to do the work this year, also the work to be done under the supervision of the Fire Engineers.

7. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$300.00 to dig two water holes on the East Road and any money left over to be used to dig another hole at the location to be decided on by the Fire Engineers.

8. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$225.00 for the observance of Memorial Day, and what method they will adopt to expend the same.

9. To see if the town will accept State Aid Construction of Class V roads and raise and appropriate, or set aside for said purpose the sum of \$138.91. State's share \$926.06.

10. To see what sum of money the town will vote to raise and appropriate to complete construction of Page road.

11. To see if the town will relinquish to the Congregational Church, Inc., its right and interest in the Town Hall bell, so called, so that said bell may be removed to the Congregational Church and be used as intended by the donor and so stated in his deed of 1809. Said removal not to incur any expense to the Town. (By Request)

12. To see what the Town wishes to do in regards to Salary of Tax Collector. (By Request)

13. To see what action the town wishes to take in investment of Trust Funds and to pass any motion thereto.

14. Moved, that the Town of Hampstead raise and appropriate the sum of \$100.00 in support of the Seacoast Regional Development Association, in its effort to promote the economic interest of the town, in participation with the other towns in the Seacoast Region.

15. To see if the town will vote to accept Ells Shore Drive and to see if the town will vote to accept East Shore Drive. (By petition.)

16. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$200.00 for surveying at the Lakeview Cemetery.

17. To see if the town will vote to adopt the following ordinance: No land shall be used for a motor vehicle junk yard, or for a dump, or for the storage of abandoned vehicles or discarded materials of any kind, in a manner that is disorderly, unsightly, noxious, or detrimental to the public, or prejudicial to the general welfare. The selection of a public dumping place maintained or designated by the Board of Selectmen shall not be effected by this regulation. (The Planning Board will report orally on this article.)

18. To see if the Town will vote to adopt the "Building and Zoning Ordinance" which has been prepared and recommended by the Hampstead Planning Board. (Emergency Article by petition.) Contents of Ordinance on page 59.

19. To see if the town will vote to raise and appropriate the sum of \$700.00 to purchase the land on which the town dump is now located consisting of 30 acres, more or less.

Given under our hands and seal, this 23rd day of February, in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and fifty-two.

JONATHAN H. WENTWORTH  
DORIS M. SPOLLETT  
GEORGE L. CHASE

Selectmen of Hampstead

A true copy of Warrant—Attest:

JONATHAN H. WENTWORTH

DORIS M. SPOLLETT

GEORGE L. CHASE

Selectmen of Hampstead

The polls will be open to vote for town officers from 10 A.M. until 9 P.M. The appropriations for the money to be raised will be during evening hours, beginning 8 o'clock.



The Selectmen will meet the first Saturday of each month at 8 P. M. at the Fire House.

The Planning Board will meet the last Sunday of each month at 8 P. M. at the Fire House.

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#### VETERAN'S NOTICE

All applications for exemptions must be in the hands of the Selectmen by April 15th.

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The pictures are the courtesy of Mr. Ralph Rooney, Maurice I. Randall and Charles Littlefield, Jr.

## BUDGET OF THE TOWN OF HAMPSTEAD, N. H.

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Estimates of Revenue and Expenditures for the Ensuing Year January 1, 1952 to December 31, 1952, compared with Estimated and Actual Revenue, Appropriations and Expenditures of the Previous Year January 1, 1951 to December 31, 1951.

|   | Estimated<br>Revenue<br>Previous<br>Year 1951 | Actual<br>Revenue<br>Previous<br>Year 1951 | Estimated<br>Revenue<br>Ensuing<br>Year 1952 |
|---|---|--|--|
| Sources of Revenue                            |   |  |  |
| From State:                                   |   |  |  |
| Interest and Dividends Tax                    | \$350.00                                      | \$467.37                                   | \$350.00                                     |
| Railroad Tax                                  | 3.00  | 3.10                                       |  |
| Savings Bank Tax                              | 30.00   | 45.60                                      | 30.00  |
| For Fighting Forest Fires                     | 50.00   |  |  |
| Forest Fire School                            | 20.00   |  |  |
| From Local Sources Except Taxes:              |   |  |  |
| Dog Licenses                                  | 250.00  | 254.40                                     | 250.00                                       |
| Business Licenses, Permits<br>and Filing Fees |   | 30.00                                      | 20.00  |
| Rent of Town Hall and Other<br>Buildings      | 75.00   | 130.00                                     | 100.00                                       |
| Interest Received on Taxes and<br>Deposits    | 50.00   | 145.16                                     | 50.00  |
| Income from Trust Funds                       | 950.00  | 1,030.67                                   | 950.00                                       |
| Sale of Cemetery Lots                         |   | 30.00                                      |  |
| Sale Lawn Mower                               |   | 26.00                                      |  |
| Motor Vehicle Permit Fees 1950                | 10.00   | 72.16                                      | 25.00  |
| Motor Vehicle Permit Fees<br>1951             | 2,400.00                                      | 3,214.36                                   | 2,700.00                                     |
| Cash Surplus                                  | 5,821.80                                      | 5,301.71                                   | 5,103.94                                     |

From Local Taxes Other Than  
Property Taxes:

|                                  |        |        |        |
|----------------------------------|--------|--------|--------|
| (a) Poll Taxes—Regular<br>at \$2 | 700.00 | 854.00 | 700.00 |
| (b) National Bank Stock<br>Taxes | 2.00   |        |        |

Total Revenues from All Sources

|                                       |           |           |           |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|
| Except Property Taxes                 | 10,711.80 | 11,604.81 | 10,278.94 |
| Amount to be Raised by Property Taxes |           |           | 60,140.33 |

|                |  |  |             |
|----------------|--|--|-------------|
| Total Revenues |  |  | \$70,419.27 |
|----------------|--|--|-------------|

|   |  |  |
|---|--|--|
| Appropriations<br>Previous<br>Year 1951 | Actual<br>Exp'ditures<br>Previous<br>Year 1951 | Estimated<br>Exp'tures<br>Ensuing<br>Year 1952 |
|---|--|--|

Purposes of Expenditures

General Government:

|  |            |            |            |
|--|------------|------------|------------|
| Town Officers' Salaries                        | \$1,600.00 | \$1,610.00 | \$1,600.00 |
| Town Officers' Expenses                        | 1,350.00   | 1,355.84   | 1,500.00   |
| Election and Registration<br>Expenses          | 150.00     | 60.91      | 500.00     |
| Expenses Town Hall and<br>Other Town Buildings | 900.00     | 734.98     | 900.00     |

Protection of Persons and Property:

|                                     |          |        |          |
|-------------------------------------|----------|--------|----------|
| Police Department                   | 800.00   | 502.80 | 800.00   |
| Fire Department                     | 1,000.00 | 984.82 | 1,000.00 |
| Moth Extermination—<br>Blister Rust | 200.00   | 200.00 | 250.00   |

Health:

|                  |        |        |        |
|------------------|--------|--------|--------|
| Vital Statistics | 25.00  | 22.00  | 25.00  |
| Town Dump        | 300.00 | 299.00 | 300.00 |

Highways and Bridges:

|   |          |          |          |
|---|----------|----------|----------|
| Town Maintenance—Summer                   | 1,500.00 | 1,553.71 | 2,500.00 |
| Town Maintenance—Winter                   | 2,000.00 | 1,998.30 | 2,000.00 |
| Street Lighting                           | 1,450.00 | 1,442.04 | 1,600.00 |
| General Expenses of Highway<br>Department | 100.00   | 111.09   | 100.00   |

|   |             |             |             |
|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Libraries (Interest 193.08)               | 775.00      | 968.08      | 1,195.00    |
| Public Welfare:                           |             |             |             |
| Town Poor and County                      | 3,000.00    | 367.24      | 2,500.00    |
| Old Age Assistance                        | 3,000.00    | 2,250.90    | 3,000.00    |
| Patriotic Purposes:                       |             |             |             |
| Aid to Soldiers and Their Families        |             | 27.00       | 100.00      |
| Public Service Enterprises:               |             |             |             |
| Cemeteries (Interest 268.55)              | 800.00      | 1,020.36    | 800.00      |
| Unclassified:                             |             |             |             |
| Damages and Legal Expenses,               |             |             |             |
| Incl. Dog Damage                          | 175.00      | 48.14       | 175.00      |
| N. H. Industrial School                   |             | 127.00      |             |
| Interest:                                 |             |             |             |
| On Temporary Loans                        | 125.00      | 64.59       | 100.00      |
| Payments to Other Governmental Divisions: |             |             |             |
| County Taxes                              | 5,000.00    | 4,295.35    | 5,000.00    |
| School Taxes                              | 42,202.05   | 42,202.05   | 44,474.27   |
| Interest                                  |             | 569.04      |             |
|   |             |             |             |
|   | \$66,452.05 | \$62,815.24 | \$70,419.27 |



## SELECTMEN'S REPORT

## Inventory April 1, 1951

|                               |                |
|-------------------------------|----------------|
| Lands and Buildings           | \$1,126,714.00 |
| Mature Wood and Timber        | 9,700.00       |
| Distributing Electric Current | 50,913.00      |
| Horses, 9                     | 1,000.00       |
| Cows, 116                     | 18,675.00      |
| Sheep and Goats, 105          | 1,705.00       |
| Hogs, 8                       | 160.00         |
| Fowls, 12,464                 | 14,399.75      |
| Boats and Launches, 2         | 400.00         |
| Portable Mills                | 700.00         |
| Wood, Lumber, etc.            | 1,450.00       |
| Gasoline Pumps and Tanks, 13  | 2,150.00       |
| Stock in Trade                | 11,610.00      |
| Mills and Machinery           | 1,800.00       |

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\$1,241,376.75

|                          |           |
|--------------------------|-----------|
| Poll Taxes—470 at \$2.00 | \$940.00  |
| Property Taxes           | 57,024.79 |
| National Bank Stock Tax  | 2.00      |

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Total Amount of Taxes Committed to Collector      \$57,966.79

|                             |             |
|-----------------------------|-------------|
| Tax Rate \$4.82             |             |
| Amount Exempted to Soldiers | \$57,290.00 |
| Amount Exempted to Blind    | 1,000.00    |

## List of Appropriations 1951

|                                     |             |
|-------------------------------------|-------------|
| Town Charges                        | \$23,545.35 |
| (Includes County Tax of \$4,295.35) |             |
| Water Holes                         | 600.00      |
| Memorial Day                        | 175.00      |
| State Aid Construction              | 171.86      |

|                       |             |
|-----------------------|-------------|
| Resuscitator          | 150.00      |
| Hampstead Handle Road | 500.00      |
| School Tax            | 42,202.05   |
| Overlay               | 709.50      |
|                       | <hr/>       |
|                       | \$68,053.76 |

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### SCHEDULE OF TOWN PROPERTY

| <i>Description</i>  | <i>Value</i> |
|---|--------------|
| Town Hall, Lands and Buildings                                    | \$5,000.00   |
| Furniture and Equipment   | 500.00       |
| Libraries, Lands and Buildings                                    | 3,000.00     |
| Furniture and Equipment   | 2,000.00     |
| Police Department, Equipment                                      | 150.00       |
| Fire Department, Lands and Buildings                              | 3,150.00     |
| Equipment   | 6,000.00     |
| Highway Department, Lands and Buildings                           | 750.00       |
| Equipment   | 3,900.00     |
| Materials and Supplies  | 150.00       |
| Schools, Lands and Buildings                                      | 57,000.00    |
| Equipment   | 3,500.00     |
| All Lands and Buildings acquired through Tax<br>Collector's deeds | 1,114.10     |
| Senter Bros.—Land \$100.00  |              |
|   | <hr/>        |
| Total   | \$86,214.10  |

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### TOWN CLERK'S REPORT

|                       |          |            |
|-----------------------|----------|------------|
| 1950 Auto Permits     | \$72.16  |            |
| 1951 Auto Permits     | 3,214.36 |            |
|                       | <hr/>    | \$3,286.52 |
| Dog Licenses: 103     | \$275.00 |            |
| 103 at 20c Commission | 20.60    |            |
|                       | <hr/>    | \$254.40   |

## COMPARATIVE STATEMENT OF APPROPRIATIONS AND EXPENDITURES

FISCAL YEAR ENDING DECEMBER 31, 1951

## TOWN OF HAMPSSTEAD

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|                                      | Appropriations | Receipts & Reimbursements | Total Amount Available | Expenditures | Unexpended Balances    | Overdrafts |
|--------------------------------------|----------------|---------------------------|------------------------|--------------|------------------------|------------|
| Town Officers Salaries               | \$1,600.00     |                           | \$1,600.00             | \$1,610.00   |                        | \$10.00    |
| Town Officers Expenses               | 1,350.00       |                           | 1,350.00               | 1,355.84     |                        | 5.84       |
| Election & Registration              | 150.00         |                           | 150.00                 | 60.91        | 89.09                  |            |
| Town Hall                            | 900.00         | 697.37                    | 1,597.37               | 1,432.35     | 165.02                 |            |
| Police Department                    | 800.00         |                           | 800.00                 | 502.80       | 297.20                 |            |
| Fire Department                      | 1,000.00       |                           | 1,000.00               | 984.82       | 15.18                  |            |
| Fire Department—Resuscitator         | 150.00         |                           | 150.00                 | 150.00       |                        |            |
| Blister Rust-Moth Control            | 200.00         |                           | 200.00                 | 200.00       |                        |            |
| Health Department—Town Dump          | 300.00         |                           | 300.00                 | 299.00       |                        |            |
| Vital Statistics                     | 25.00          |                           | 25.00                  | 22.00        | 1.00                   |            |
| Town Maintenance—Winter Roads        | 2,000.00       |                           | 2,000.00               | 1,998.30     | 1.70                   |            |
| Town Maintenance—Summer Roads        | 1,500.00       |                           | 1,500.00               | 1,553.71     |                        | 53.71      |
| Special—Hampstead Handle Road        | 500.00         |                           | 500.00                 | 499.90       | .10                    |            |
| Town Road Aid                        | 171.86         |                           | 171.86                 | 138.93       | 32.93                  |            |
| Water Holes                          | 600.00         |                           | 600.00                 |              | 600.00                 |            |
| Street Lighting                      | 1,450.00       |                           | 1,450.00               | 1,442.04     | 7.96                   |            |
| General Expense Highway              | 100.00         |                           | 100.00                 | 111.09       |                        | 11.09      |
| Libraries                            | 775.00         | 193.08                    | 968.08                 | 968.08       |                        |            |
| Town & County Poor                   | 3,000.00       | 53.07                     | 3,053.07               | 420.31       | 2,632.76               |            |
| Old Age Assistance                   | 3,000.00       | 446.86                    | 3,446.86               | 2,697.76     | 749.10                 |            |
| Memorial Day                         | 175.00         |                           | 175.00                 | 217.50       |                        | 42.50      |
| Cemeteries                           | 800.00         | 324.55                    | 1,124.55               | 1,020.36     | 104.19                 |            |
| Damage & Legal Expenses & Dog Damage | 175.00         |                           | 175.00                 | 48.14        | 126.86                 |            |
| Interest on Temporary Loan           | 125.00         | 5.41                      | 130.41                 | 70.00        | 60.41                  |            |
| County Tax                           | 4,295.35       |                           | 4,295.35               | 4,295.35     |                        |            |
| Totals                               | \$25,142.21    | \$1,720.34                | \$26,862.55            | \$22,099.19  | \$4,886.50             | \$123.14   |
|                                      |                |                           |                        |              | Net Unexpended Balance | \$4,763.36 |

# TOWN OF HAMPSTEAD

## BALANCE SHEET

| Assets  |                    | Liabilities                         |             |
|---|--------------------|-------------------------------------|-------------|
| Cash First National Bank of Derry—Balance               | \$5,253.94         | Accounts Owed by the Town:          |             |
| Unredeemed Taxes:                                       |                    | Due to State:                       |             |
| (from tax sale on account of)                           |                    | (a) State Head Taxes—1951           | \$150.00    |
| (b) Levy of 1950  | 342.56             | (30) (Uncollected \$150.00)         |             |
| (c) Levy of 1949  | 7.91               |                                     |             |
| Uncollected Taxes:                                      |                    | Total Liabilities                   | \$150.00    |
| (a) Levy of 1951  | 5,277.23           |                                     |             |
| Total Assets  | <u>\$10,881.64</u> | Excess of assets over liabilities   | 10,731.64   |
| Grand Total   | \$10,881.64        | (Surplus)                           |             |
|   |                    | Grand Total                         | \$10,881.64 |
| Receipts  |                    | Payments                            |             |
| Current Revenue:  |                    | Current Maintenance Expenses:       |             |
| From Local Taxes: (Collected and remitted to Treasurer) |                    | General Government:                 |             |
| Property Taxes  |                    | Town officer's salaries             | \$1,610.00  |
| Current Year  | \$51,345.21        | Town officer's expenses             | 1,355.84    |
| Poll Taxes—Regular at \$2                               | 854.00             | Election and registration expenses  | 60.91       |
| Yield Taxes   | 244.88             | Expenses town hall and other        |             |
| State Head Taxes at \$5                                 | 2,565.00           | town buildings                      | 1,432.35    |
| Total Current Year's Taxes collected                    |                    | Protection of Persons and Property: |             |
| and remitted  | \$55,009.09        | Police department                   | 502.80      |

|  |             |  |  |                                       |             |
|--|-------------|--|--|---------------------------------------|-------------|
| Property Taxes and Yield Taxes             |             |  |  | Fire department                       | 984.82      |
| Previous Years                             |             |  |  | Fire department resuscitator          | 150.00      |
| Poll Taxes—Previous Years                  |             |  |  | Moth extermination—Blister Rust       | 200.00      |
| Regular at \$2                             | 5,061.44    |  |  | Damage by dogs                        | 13.94       |
| Costs and Fees                             | 138.00      |  |  | Health:                               |             |
| Penalties on State Head Taxes              | 163.51      |  |  | Vital statistics                      | 22.00       |
| Tax sales redeemed                         | 11.50       |  |  | Town dumps                            | 299.00      |
|  | 2,475.18    |  |  | Highways and Bridges:                 |             |
| From State:                                |             |  |  | Town Road Aid                         | 138.93      |
| Interest and dividend tax                  | 467.65      |  |  | Town Maintenance                      |             |
| Railroad Tax                               | 3.10        |  |  | Summer                                | \$1,553.71  |
| Savings Bank Tax                           | 45.60       |  |  | Winter                                | 1,998.30    |
| Reimbursement a/c Old Age Assistance       | 220.36      |  |  |                                       |             |
| From County:                               |             |  |  | Street Lighting                       | 3,552.01    |
| For support of poor and aid                |             |  |  | General Expenses of Highway Dept.     | 1,442.04    |
| furnished soldiers                         | 53.07       |  |  | Libraries:                            | 111.09      |
| From Local Sources, Except Taxes:          |             |  |  | Appropriation \$775.00; Int. \$193.08 | 968.08      |
| Dog licenses                               | 254.40      |  |  | Public Welfare:                       |             |
| Business licenses, permits and filing fees | 30.00       |  |  | Old Age Assistance                    | 2,697.76    |
| Rent of town property                      | 130.00      |  |  | Town Poor and County                  | 420.31      |
| Income from trust funds                    | 1,030.67    |  |  | Patriotic Purposes:                   |             |
| Income from departments                    |             |  |  | Memorial Day                          | 217.50      |
| Cemetery Lots and Lawn Mower sold          | 56.00       |  |  | Aid to soldiers and their families    | 27.00       |
| Registration of motor vehicles             |             |  |  | Public Service Enterprises:           |             |
| 1950 Permits                               | 72.16       |  |  | Cemeteries                            | 1,020.36    |
| 1951 Permits                               | 3,214.36    |  |  | Unclassified:                         |             |
|  |             |  |  | Damages and legal expenses            | 34.20       |
| Total Revenue Receipts                     | \$68,436.09 |  |  | Total Payments                        | \$17,260.94 |

|  |                    |   |                    |
|--|--------------------|---|--------------------|
| Receipts Other than Current Revenue:                 |                    |   |                    |
| Temporary loans in anticipation of taxes during year | 10,000.00          | Taxes bought by town  | 1,812.36           |
| Insurance adjustments                                | 697.37             | N. H. Industrial School   | 127.00             |
| Refunds  |                    | Total Current Maintenance Expenses  | 1,939.36           |
| Mortgage—E. Ayer \$206.00                            |                    | Interest:   |                    |
| Insurance—E. Ayer \$20.50                            |                    | Paid on temporary loan in anticipation of taxes   | 70.00              |
| Interest on Temporary loan 5.41                      | 231.91             | Total Interest Payments   | 70.00              |
|  |                    | Outlays for New Construction, Equipment and Permanent Improvements: Highways and Bridges—Town construction—Hampstead Handle | 499.90             |
|  |                    | Total Outlay Payments   | 499.90             |
|  |                    | Indebtedness:   |                    |
|  |                    | Payments on temporary loans in anticipation of taxes  | 10,000.00          |
|  |                    | Total Indebtedness Payments   | 10,000.00          |
|  |                    | Payments to Other Governmental Divisions:   |                    |
|  |                    | State Head Taxes paid to State Treasurer  | 2,524.97           |
|  |                    | Collecting Head Tax   | 51.53              |
|  |                    | Taxes paid to County  | 4,295.35           |
|  |                    | Payments to School Districts  |                    |
|  |                    | Interest  | \$569.14           |
|  |                    | 1951 Tax  | 42,202.05          |
|  |                    |   | <u>42,771.09</u>   |
|  |                    | Total Payments to Other Governmental Divisions  |                    |
|  |                    | Cash on hand December 31, 1951  | 49,642.94          |
|  |                    |   | 5,253.94           |
|  |                    | Grand Total   | <u>\$84,667.08</u> |
| Total Receipts Other than Current Revenue            | \$79,365.37        |   |                    |
| Bank Balance January 1, 1951                         | 5,301.71           |   |                    |
| This Grand Total                                     | <u>\$84,667.08</u> |   |                    |

## TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

## Summary of Warrant, Tax Levy 1950

Dr.

Uncollected Taxes as of January 1, 1951:

|   |            |            |
|---|------------|------------|
| Property Taxes  | \$5,064.39 |            |
| 66 Poll Taxes   | 132.00     |            |
| Added 10 Poll Taxes   | 20.00      |            |
| Interest collected during Fiscal year<br>ending December 31, 1951 | 44.97      |            |
|   | <hr/>      | \$5,261.36 |

Cr.

Remittances to Treasurer during Fiscal  
year ending December 31, 1951:

|                                |            |            |
|--------------------------------|------------|------------|
| Property Taxes                 | \$5,061.44 |            |
| 59 Poll Taxes                  | 118.00     |            |
| Interest Collected during Year | 44.97      |            |
| Property Abated                | 2.95       |            |
| 7 Polls Abated                 | 14.00      |            |
| 10 Extra Polls                 | 20.00      |            |
|                                | <hr/>      | \$5,261.36 |

THORNDYKE PUTNAM,  
Tax Collector

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## TAX COLLECTOR'S REPORT

## Summary of Warrant, Tax Levy 1951

Dr.

Taxes Committed to Collector:

|                |             |
|----------------|-------------|
| Property Taxes | \$57,024.79 |
|----------------|-------------|

|                          |        |             |
|--------------------------|--------|-------------|
| 470 Poll Taxes at \$2.00 | 940.00 |             |
| National Bank Tax        | 2.00   |             |
|                          | <hr/>  | \$57,996.79 |
| Yield Taxes              | 244.88 |             |
| Added Taxes:             |        |             |
| Property                 | 14.47  |             |
| 18 Poll Taxes            | 36.00  |             |
| Interest Collected 1951  | 1.47   |             |
|                          | <hr/>  | \$58,263.61 |

Cr.

## Remittances to Treasurer:

|                              |             |             |
|------------------------------|-------------|-------------|
| Property Taxes               | \$51,330.74 |             |
| 409 Poll Taxes               | 818.00      |             |
| Yield Taxes                  | 244.88      |             |
| Abatements—33 Poll Taxes     | 66.00       |             |
| Abatements—Property          | 472.82      |             |
| Abatements—National Bank Tax | 2.00        |             |
| Added Taxes:                 |             |             |
| Property                     | 14.47       |             |
| 18 Poll Taxes                | 36.00       |             |
| Interest Collected           | 1.47        |             |
|                              | <hr/>       | \$52,986.38 |

## Uncollected Taxes as per Collector's List:

|                |            |             |
|----------------|------------|-------------|
| Property Taxes | \$5,221.23 |             |
| 28 Poll Taxes  | 56.00      |             |
|                | <hr/>      | \$5,277.23  |
|                |            | <hr/>       |
|                |            | \$58,263.61 |

## Unredeemed Taxes from Sales:

|                            |        |
|----------------------------|--------|
| On Account of Levy of 1949 | \$7.91 |
| On Account of Levy of 1950 | 342.56 |

THORNDYKE PUTNAM,

Tax Collector



This is to certify that we have examined the books and other financial records of the Tax Collector of Hampstead of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending December 31, 1951, and find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

STANLEY P. JOHNSON,  
HAROLD H. SHEDD

Auditors

## TAX ABATEMENTS FOR YEAR 1951

Ending December 31, 1951

|                                  | Property | Poll   |
|----------------------------------|----------|--------|
| Bertha Alden, over age           |          | \$2.00 |
| George Alden, over age           |          | 2.00   |
| Antoinette Bailey, paid in Mass. |          | 2.00   |
| Arthur Bartlett, over age        |          | 2.00   |
| Ora E. Beede, over age           |          | 2.00   |
| Pearl Beatie, left town          |          | 2.00   |
| William Brickett, Veteran        | \$48.20  |        |
| Laura Buttrick over age          |          | 2.00   |
| George Colby, left town          |          | 2.00   |
| Frances Colby, left town         |          | 2.00   |
| John Crouse, Veteran             |          | 2.00   |
| Randolph Demaine, Veteran        |          | 2.00   |
| Elizabeth Edgerton, left town    |          | 2.00   |
| Jesse and Alice Emerson          | 48.20    |        |
| Lotta Estabrook, over age        |          | 2.00   |
| Vera Findlen, left town          |          | 2.00   |
| Annie Sanborn                    | 4.82     |        |
| William A. Furze, left town      |          | 2.00   |
| Jeanette Furze, left town        |          | 2.00   |
| Caroline Littlefield, over age   |          | 2.00   |
| John and Alice Maddix            | 48.20    |        |
| Mary Mello, left town            |          | 2.00   |
| Albert Mello, left town          |          | 2.00   |
| Herbert Lester Merrick, Veteran  | 48.20    |        |
| James M. O'Neil, over age        |          | 2.00   |
| James J. Rooney, over age        |          | 2.00   |
| Thomas L. Noon, paid in Mass.    |          | 2.00   |
| Janes L. Noon, paid in Mass.     |          | 2.00   |
| Louise Foss                      | 48.20    |        |
| Muriel Perkins, left town        |          | 2.00   |
| Isabelle Randlett, over age      |          | 2.00   |
| Minerva Rivers, left town        |          | 2.00   |
| Mahlon Rivers, left town         |          | 2.00   |
| Francis D. Stratton              | 4.82     |        |

## TOWN OF HAMPSTEAD

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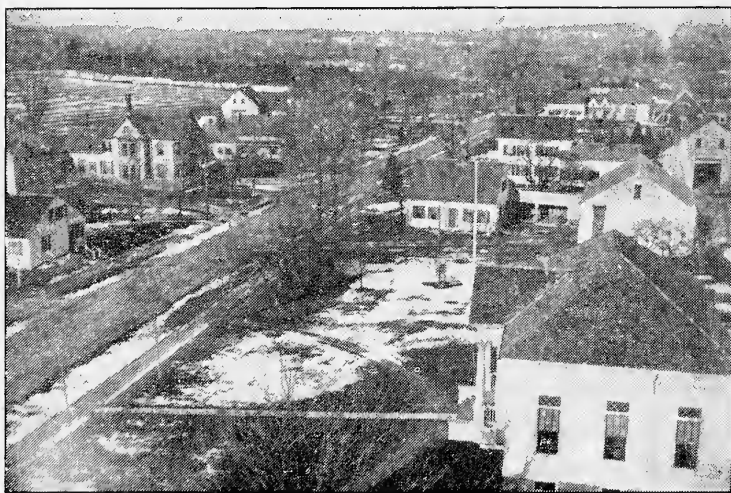
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|--------------------------------|--------|----------|----------|
| Joseph M, Tait, over age       |        |          | 2.00     |
| LeRoy Toshack, in service      |        |          | 2.00     |
| L. E. Webster, over age        |        |          | 2.00     |
| Florence Willard, over age     |        |          | 2.00     |
| Walter White, Veteran          |        |          | 2.00     |
| Earle S. Wright                | 48.20  |          |          |
| John Arunda                    | 48.20  |          |          |
| Wallace Wyeth, over age        |        |          | 2.00     |
| Frederick Bishop               | 5.30   |          |          |
| William Campbell               | 24.10  |          |          |
| Alice Fix, duplicate tax       | 4.82   |          |          |
| Sherman Joslin and Marion Hall | 28.92  |          |          |
| William Nason                  | 4.82   |          |          |
| Clarence Preston               | 14.46  |          |          |
| Edmond Vincent                 | 28.92  |          |          |
| Harrison Viles                 | 9.64   |          |          |
| Senter Bros., to town          | 4.82   |          |          |
| National Bank Tax              | \$2.00 |          |          |
|                                | <hr/>  | <hr/>    | <hr/>    |
|                                | \$2.00 | \$472.82 | \$66.00  |
|                                |        |          | <hr/>    |
|                                |        |          | \$540.82 |

## EXTRA PROPERTY AND POLLS COLLECTED 1951

|                  | Property | Polls  |
|------------------|----------|--------|
| Albert Comeau    | \$9.64   |        |
| C. Grover Flint  |          | \$2.00 |
| Elizabeth Flint  |          | 2.00   |
| Howard Perley    |          | 2.00   |
| Leon Sawtell     |          | 2.00   |
| Fred Granger     |          | 2.00   |
| Gertrude Granger |          | 2.00   |
| George Dugan     |          | 2.00   |
| Mrs. Dugan       |          | 2.00   |
| Corine Arling    |          | 2.00   |
| Jack G. Hill     |          | 2.00   |

|                    |         |         |
|--------------------|---------|---------|
| N. J. Hill         |         | 2.00    |
| Frank C. Howard    |         | 2.00    |
| Ernest W. Merrick  |         | 2.00    |
| Eurieta Marro      |         | 2.00    |
| Phyliss O. Bentham |         | 2.00    |
| Esso Standard Oil  | 4.83    |         |
| Ida George         |         | 2.00    |
| Dorothy Brackett   |         | 2.00    |
| Roy Gorton         |         | 2.00    |
|                    | <hr/>   | <hr/>   |
|                    | \$14.47 | \$36.00 |
|                    |         | <hr/>   |
|                    |         | \$50.47 |

THORNDYKE PUTNAM,  
Tax Collector



"Old" Main Street, Looking North From Church Belfry.

## SUMMARY OF WARRANT—

## STATE HEAD TAX LEVY OF 1951

## Debit

## State Head Taxes Committed to Collector:

|                     |     |            |            |
|---------------------|-----|------------|------------|
| Original Warrant    | 571 | \$2,855.00 |            |
| Added Taxes         | 28  | 140.00     |            |
|                     |     | <hr/>      | \$2,995.00 |
| Penalties Collected |     |            | 11.50      |
|                     |     |            | <hr/>      |
|                     |     |            | \$3,006.50 |

## Credit

## Remittances to Treasurer:

|   |     |            |            |
|---|-----|------------|------------|
| Head Taxes  | 513 | \$2,565.00 |            |
| Penalties   |     | 11.50      |            |
|   |     | <hr/>      | \$2,576.50 |
| Abatements  | 56  |            | 280.00     |
|   |     |            | \$2,856.50 |
| Uncollected Head Taxes as per<br>Collector's List | 30  |            | 150.00     |
|   |     |            | <hr/>      |
|   |     |            | \$3,006.50 |

T. PUTNAM,  
Collector

## TOWN TREASURER'S REPORT

Year Ending December 31, 1951

## Summary of Receipts:

|  |            |
|--|------------|
| Bank Balance, January 1, 1951            | \$5,301.71 |
| State of New Hampshire:                  |            |
| Savings Bank Tax                         | 45.60      |
| Railroad Tax                             | 3.10       |
| Interest and Dividend Tax                | 467.65     |
| Refunds—Old Age Assistance               | 220.36     |
| Thorndyke Putnam, Collector              |            |
| 1948 Redeemed Taxes                      | 241.36     |
| 1948 Fees and Interest on Redeemed Taxes | 16.49      |
| 1949 Redeemed Taxes                      | 782.01     |
| 1949 Interest on Redeemed Taxes          | 40.33      |
| 1949 Fees on Redeemed Taxes              | 6.65       |
| 1950 Tax Property Redeemed               | 1,451.81   |
| 1950 Interest on Redeemed Taxes          | 43.20      |
| 1950 Fees on Redeemed Taxes              | 10.40      |
| 1950 Property Tax                        | 5,061.44   |
| 1950 Interest on Property Tax            | 44.97      |
| 1950 Poll Taxes                          | 118.00     |
| 1950 Extra Poll Taxes                    | 20.00      |
| 1951 Property Tax                        | 51,330.74  |
| 1951 Extra Property Tax                  | 14.47      |
| 1951 Poll Tax                            | 818.00     |
| 1951 Extra Poll Taxes                    | 36.00      |
| 1951 Interest on Property Tax            | 1.47       |
| Yield Taxes                              | 244.88     |
| Head Taxes                               | 2,565.00   |
| Penalties on Head Tax                    | 11.50      |
| Selectmen:                               |            |
| 1950 Auto Permits                        | 72.16      |
| 1951 Auto Permits                        | 3,214.36   |
| 1951 Dog Licenses                        | 254.40     |
| First National Bank—Loan                 | 10,000.00  |

## TOWN OF HAMPSTEAD

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|   |             |
|---|-------------|
| Interest on Hampstead High School Trust Funds           | 569.04      |
| Interest on Cemetery Trust Funds                        | 268.55      |
| Interest on Library Trust Funds                         | 193.08      |
| Sale of Lawn Mower                                      | 26.00       |
| Sale of Cemetery Lots                                   | 30.00       |
| Rent of Town Hall                                       | 130.00      |
| Beano Licenses  | 30.00       |
| Refunds—Mortgage Etta Ayer Estate                       | 206.00      |
| Insurance—Etta Ayer Estate                              | 20.50       |
| Wind Storm Insurance—Town Hall                          | 697.37      |
| From County   | 53.07       |
| Interest on Loan  | 5.41        |
|   | <hr/>       |
|   | \$84,667.08 |
| Selectmen's Orders No. 104-344 Inclusive<br>and No. 346 | <hr/>       |
|   | 79,413.14   |
| Bank Balance December 31, 1951                          | <hr/>       |
|   | \$5,253.94  |
| ADIN E. LITTLE,<br>Town Treasurer                       |             |

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SUMMARY OF RECEIPTS

|                                   |            |
|-----------------------------------|------------|
| Property and Poll Taxes year 1950 | \$5,199.44 |
| Property Taxes 1951               | 51,345.21  |
| Yield Taxes                       | 244.88     |
| Poll Taxes 1951                   | 854.00     |
| Tax Sales Redemmed                | 2,475.18   |
| From State of New Hampshire       | 516.35     |
| Interest and Costs                | 163.51     |
| Dog Licenses                      | 254.40     |
| Business Licenses                 | 30.00      |
| Head Taxes                        | 2,565.00   |
| Penalties on Head Taxes           | 11.50      |
| Rent of Town Property             | 130.00     |
| Interest Received                 | 1,030.67   |
| Registry of Motor Vehicles        | 3,286.52   |

|                        |             |
|------------------------|-------------|
| Refunds                | 1,228.71    |
| Sales of Cemetery Lots | 30.00       |
| Temporary Loan         | 10,000.00   |
|                        | <hr/>       |
|                        | \$79,365.37 |

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### SUMMARY OF PAYMENTS

|                              |            |
|------------------------------|------------|
| Town Officers Salaries       | \$1,610.00 |
| Town Officers Expenses       | 1,355.84   |
| Election and Registration    | 60.91      |
| Town Hall                    | 1,432.35   |
| Police                       | 502.80     |
| Fire Department              | 984.82     |
| Fire Dept.—Resuscitator      | 150.00     |
| Moth Extermination—Spraying  | 200.00     |
| Damage by Dogs               | 13.94      |
| Health Department—Town Dump  | 299.00     |
| Vital Statistics             | 22.00      |
| Town Maintenance—Summer      | 1,553.71   |
| Town Maintenance—Winter      | 1,998.30   |
| T. R. A.                     | 138.93     |
| Hampstead Handle—Special     | 499.90     |
| Street Lighting              | 1,442.04   |
| General Expense Highway      | 111.09     |
| Libraries                    | 968.08     |
| Old Age Assistance           | 2,697.76   |
| Town and County Poor         | 420.31     |
| Memorial Day                 | 217.50     |
| Aid to Soldiers and families | 27.00      |
| Cemeteries                   | 1,020.36   |
| Damage and Legal Expense     | 34.20      |
| Taxes bought by Town         | 1,812.36   |
| Unclassified                 | 127.00     |
| Interest                     | 70.00      |
| Temporary Loan               | 10,000.00  |
| County Tax                   | 4,295.35   |



|                       |             |
|-----------------------|-------------|
| Head Tax              | 2,524.97    |
| Collecting Head Taxes | 51.53       |
| School District       | 42,771.09   |
|                       | <hr/>       |
|                       | \$79,413.14 |

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DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| 1950 Property Taxes                               | \$5,061.44 |
| 1950 Poll Taxes                                   | 118.00     |
| 1950 Extra Poll Taxes                             | 20.00      |
| 1951 Poll Taxes                                   | 818.00     |
| 1951 Extra Poll Taxes                             | 36.00      |
| 1951 Property Taxes                               | 51,330.74  |
| 1951 Extra Property Tax                           | 14.47      |
| 1951 Yield Tax                                    | 244.88     |
| Tax Sales Redeemed 1948                           | 241.36     |
| Tax Sales Redeemed 1949                           | 782.01     |
| Tax Sales Redeemed 1950                           | 1,451.81   |
| Head Tax  | 2,565.00   |
| Penalties on Head Taxes                           | 11.50      |
| Interest and Costs—Interest 1948                  | 15.19      |
| Fees 1948   | 1.30       |
| Interest 1949                                     | 40.33      |
| Fees 1949   | 6.65       |
| Interest Redeemed 1950                            | 43.20      |
| Fees 1950   | 10.40      |
| Interest 1950                                     | 44.97      |
| Interest 1951                                     | 1.47       |
| State of N. H.—Old Age Assistance                 | 220.36     |
| Savings Bank Tax                                  | 45.60      |
| Railroad Tax                                      | 3.10       |
| Interest and Dividend Tax                         | 467.65     |
| Rent of Town Property                             | 130.00     |
| License and Permits                               | 30.00      |
| Interest Received, Hampstead High School<br>Funds | 569.04     |

|                                      |             |
|--------------------------------------|-------------|
| Library Trust Funds                  | 193.08      |
| Cemetery Trust Funds                 | 268.55      |
| Registration of Motor Vehicles, 1950 | 72.16       |
| Registration of Motor Vehicles, 1951 | 3,214.36    |
| Dog Licenses                         | 254.40      |
| Sales of Cemetery Lots               | 30.00       |
| Sale of Lawn Mower                   | 26.00       |
| Refunds: Mortgage, Etta Ayer Estate  | 206.00      |
| Insurance, Etta Ayer Estate          | 20.50       |
| Wind storm, Town Hall                | 697.37      |
| Interest on Temporary Loan           | 5.41        |
| From County                          | 53.07       |
| Temporary Loan                       | 10,000.00   |
|                                      | <hr/>       |
|                                      | \$79,365.37 |

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF PAYMENTS

### TOWN OFFICERS' SALARIES

|                                |            |
|--------------------------------|------------|
| Appropriation                  | \$1,600.00 |
| Jonathan H. Wentworth          | \$241.67   |
| Doris M. Spollett              | 241.66     |
| George L. Chase                | 241.67     |
| Adin E. Little                 | 100.00     |
| Thorndyke Putnam               | 400.00     |
| Charles A. Brooks              | 100.00     |
| Charles A. Brooks—Auto Permits | 285.00     |
|                                | <hr/>      |
|                                | \$1,610.00 |

### TOWN OFFICERS' EXPENSES

|  |            |
|--|------------|
| Appropriation                              | \$1,350.00 |
| New England Tel. & Tel. Co.                | \$107.35   |
| Curtis Ins. Agency—T. Putnam, Burglary     | 21.00      |
| Curtis Ins. Agency Officers Bonds          | 90.00      |
| Doris Spollett, Assisting State Assessors  | 10.00      |
| Doris Spollett, Traveling Expense          | 10.00      |
| George L. Chase, Assisting State Assessors | 10.00      |

|  |            |
|--|------------|
| George L. Chase, Delivering Town Reports<br>and Traveling Expenses | 13.90      |
| Jonathan Wentworth, Assisting State<br>Assessors                   | 10.00      |
| Jonathan Wentworth, Traveling Expenses                             | 19.73      |
| Thorndyke Putnam, Auto Hire & Dinners                              | 41.64      |
| Thorndyke Putnam, Envelopes  | 17.89      |
| First National Bank, Derry, Service Charge                         | .81        |
| Adin E. Little, Postage  | 2.88       |
| Lewis C. Darling Envelopes—T. Putnam                               | 25.04      |
| Edmund Little Co.—Supplies   | 2.60       |
| Haverhill Gazette—Planning Board                                   | 1.50       |
| Assoc. of N. H. Assessors—Dues                                     | 2.00       |
| George M. Littlefield—Expenses 1950                                | 20.00      |
| Donald Duston—Town Reports Delivered                               | 8.00       |
| Lewis C. Darling—Stamps for Inventories                            | 7.06       |
| Edson C. Eastman Co.—Town Clerk's Book                             | 12.00      |
| Boyd-James Press—500 Town Reports                                  | 528.30     |
| Stanley Johnson, Auditor 1950                                      | 12.00      |
| Brown-Saltmarsh Co.—Tax, Cash Books                                | 19.51      |
| Laura M. Curry,—P.T.A. Dinners & Suppers                           | 40.00      |
| The McBee Co.—C. A. Brooks Supplies                                | 2.10       |
| Lewis C. Darling—Envelopes-Town Treas.                             | 17.48      |
| N. H. Tax Collectors Assoc. Dues 1951                              | 3.00       |
| Sargent Bros.—Poll Bills & Envelopes                               | 14.55      |
| N. H. City & Town Clerks Assoc. Dues                               | 2.00       |
| Bernice T. Little—Bookkeeping                                      | 200.00     |
| Charles A. Brooks—Expenses   | 23.20      |
| Jessie Brooks—Copying Books  | 21.70      |
| George M. Littlefield Expenses 1951                                | 20.00      |
| Charles A. Brooks—Assoc. Dues and Exp.                             | 15.60      |
| Charles A. Brooks—Reference Book                                   | 3.00       |
|  | <hr/>      |
|  | \$1,355.84 |

## ELECTION AND REGISTRATION

|                                 |          |
|---------------------------------|----------|
| Appropriation                   | \$150.00 |
| Rush-A-Service—Official Ballots | 21.91    |

|  |         |
|--|---------|
| Arthur Hathaway—Preparing Check Lists<br>& Town Election | 14.00   |
| Elizabeth Wentworth—Ballot Clerk                         | 5.00    |
| Stanley Johnson—Ballot Clerk 3-13-51                     | 5.00    |
| John Arling—Ballot Clerk 11-7-50 & 3-13-51               | 10.00   |
| Laura M. Curry—Ballot Clerk                              | 5.00    |
|  | <hr/>   |
|  | \$60.91 |

## TOWN HALL

|  |            |          |
|--|------------|----------|
| Appropriation  |            | \$900.00 |
| R. F. Knox—Janitor   | 204.00     |          |
| R. F. Knox—Piling Wood                                     | 9.50       |          |
| Charles Heath—Wood and Slabs                               | 177.00     |          |
| Levi Duston—Wood and Slabs                                 | 42.00      |          |
| Curtis Ins. Co.—Fire & Ext. Coverage &<br>Public Liability | 129.00     |          |
| Maurice I. Randall—Extended Coverage on<br>Town Hall       | 4.00       |          |
| New Hampshire Electric Co.                                 | 101.02     |          |
| Warren Ells—Hurricane Damage                               | 96.50      |          |
| Belleau Metal Works—Repairing Weather Vane<br>and Steeple  | 640.00     |          |
| Ralph E. Roberts—Cleaning Chimney<br>& Furnace             | 20.00      |          |
| Haverhill Hardware Co.—Ash Cans                            | 7.83       |          |
| Beverly Whiteneck—Erecting posts near<br>High School       | 1.50       |          |
|  | <hr/>      |          |
|  | \$1,432.35 |          |

## FIRE DEPARTMENT

|  |        |            |
|--|--------|------------|
| Appropriation  |        | \$1,000.00 |
| New Hampshire Electric Co.   | 44.13  |            |
| K. H. Duston—Fuel Oil  | 159.12 |            |
| Howard's Garage—Gas, Oil, Battery,<br>Zerone, Labor & Hose for Indian Pump | 55.80  |            |
| Tate's Store—E. H.—Gasoline  | 1.30   |            |

|  |          |
|--|----------|
| Levi E. Duston—Forest Fire—                |          |
| Kent's Farm Road                           | 16.75    |
| Mass. Bonding & Ins. Co.—Firemen's Ins.    | 160.50   |
| Forestry & Recreation Commision—           |          |
| Pumps & Nozzles                            | 27.00    |
| Curtis Ins. Agency—1938 Ford Truck         | 7.00     |
| Curtis Ins. Agency—Ins. on 1934 & 38 Truck | 98.20    |
| Smith's Fire Equipment—Soda Recharges      | 12.00    |
| P. A. Wood—5-50' hose, holders, etc.       | 310.00   |
| Benson Lumber Co.—Wrecking Bar             | 3.05     |
| William C. Ela—Moving Oil Tank to          |          |
| Inside Installation                        | 15.49    |
| N. H. Farm Tractor Corp.—2 Iron Bars       | 4.00     |
| Simpson Tractor & Implement Co.—           |          |
| Tow Chain and Frt.                         | 22.45    |
| William Ritchie, Sr.—Soda & Acid           | 4.20     |
| Warren H. Ells—Closing in Oil Tank         | 25.54    |
| Benson Lumber Co.—Manila Rope 19¼ lbs.     | 18.29    |
|  | <hr/>    |
|  | \$984.82 |

## RESUSCITATOR

|                       |          |          |
|-----------------------|----------|----------|
| Appropriation         |          | \$150.00 |
| Jonathan H. Wentworth | 150.00   |          |
|                       | <hr/>    |          |
|                       | \$150.00 |          |

## REPORT OF THE FIRE ENGINEERS

During the year 1951 we answered 13 fire calls—two of these being out of town, Atkinson and Danville. Five grass and wood fires, one chimney fire and five house fires, as follows: Shed roof at C. Littlefield's, storage building at James Rooney's, house of McEvoy's on West Road, Liberty Inn banquet hall and the Pelletier house in E. Hampstead. The total value of these buildings was \$18,700.00. Total damage \$11,325.00 and Insurance paid \$6,950.00.

The volunteer association has installed an alarm system which will blow a siren in the event of a fire inside the fire house.

Our appropriation of \$600.00 for stoning water holes could not be used this year due to the very wet conditions.

(Signed) FRANK E. HOWARD,

Chief of Board of Engineers

## POLICE DEPARTMENT

|  |        |          |
|--|--------|----------|
| Appropriation                          |        | \$800.00 |
| Russell Hall—Police Work               | 316.74 |          |
| Jonathan Wentworth                     | 49.00  |          |
| Frank Howard                           | 40.25  |          |
| Earl Demeritt                          | 8.50   |          |
| Dana F. Stratton                       | 16.75  |          |
| Frank Clough                           | 20.25  |          |
| Rush-A-Service—Supplies                | 7.85   |          |
| Howard's Garage—1 Red Light Installed, |        |          |
| 2 Light Batteries                      | 21.24  |          |
| John D. Osgood, Inc.—Hand Lantern      | 5.97   |          |
| J. W. Daley Co—Supplies                | 16.25  |          |
|  |        |          |
|  |        | •        |
|  |        | \$502.80 |

## REPORT OF THE POLICE DEPARTMENT

The year of 1951 was a very busy one for this department. More than 75 percent of our calls are in the months of June, July, August and September.

Motor vehicle accidents were many. Most of them during the summer months—no fatal accidents.

Your Chief wishes to express his appreciation for the cooperation of the Selectmen, Planning Board, Police Officers of his department, the Sheriff's department, and all other law enforcement officers of the state.

Respectfully submitted,

RUSSELL J. HALL,

Chief of Police

## DAMAGE BY DOGS

|                                   |         |
|-----------------------------------|---------|
| Wheeler & Clark—Dog Tags and Book | \$11.44 |
| Arthur Johnson—Dog Put Away       | 2.50    |
|                                   | <hr/>   |
|                                   | \$13.94 |

## VITAL STATISTICS

|                                    |         |         |
|------------------------------------|---------|---------|
| Appropriation                      |         | \$25.00 |
| Charles A. Brooks—Vital Statistics | 22.00   |         |
|                                    | <hr/>   |         |
|                                    | \$22.00 |         |

## HEALTH DEPARTMENT

## Town Dump

|                                       |          |          |
|---------------------------------------|----------|----------|
| Appropriation                         |          | \$300.00 |
| George L. Chase—Painting Sign         | 2.00     |          |
| Frederick H. Weber—Bulldozer          | 182.00   |          |
| Frederick Weber—Bulldozer, East Hamp- |          |          |
| sted Dump                             | 24.50    |          |
| Charles Heath, Gravel, Labor at Dump  | 48.00    |          |
| Cecil C. True—Gravel                  | 42.50    |          |
|                                       | <hr/>    |          |
|                                       | \$299.00 |          |

## SUMMER ROADS

|  |        |            |
|--|--------|------------|
| Appropriation                                      |        | \$1,500.00 |
| Cecil C. True—Gravel, Scraping &<br>Grader Hire    | 242.50 |            |
| Cecil C. True—Tree Service,<br>Hurricane Work      | 20.00  |            |
| Cecil C. True—Grader & Truck Hire                  | 113.50 |            |
| Cecil C. True, Gravel                              | 65.00  |            |
| Cecil C. True—Grading & Patching                   | 331.20 |            |
| Cecil C. True—Gravel—Camp Roads                    | 108.50 |            |
| R. E. Webber—Shovel & Truck Hire                   | 120.00 |            |
| K. H. Duston—25 Gals. Oil                          | 3.75   |            |
| Rock-Asphalt Corp.—Cold Patch                      | 350.76 |            |
| A. Brown—Brush Cutting & Burning,<br>Grading       | 126.00 |            |
| W. Woodard—Brush Cutting & Burning<br>Grading      | 56.00  |            |
| Stanley Johnson, Labor & Use of Tractor<br>& Mower | 16.50  |            |
|  |        | <hr/>      |
|  |        | \$1,553.71 |

## WINTER ROADS

|  |          |            |
|--|----------|------------|
| Appropriation  |          | \$2,000.00 |
| Cecil C. True—Salting, Sanding, Snow<br>Removal and Gravel | \$987.60 |            |
| Cecil C. True, Grader and Truck Hire                       | 120.80   |            |
| Frank Howard—Snow Removal, Salting and<br>Sanding          | 26.50    |            |
| A. Brown—Labor   | 16.50    |            |
| B. Beaudoin—Labor, Snow Removal                            | 88.75    |            |
| R. E. Webber—Shovel Hire                                   | 120.00   |            |
| F. E. Weber—Truck Hire                                     | 48.10    |            |
| R. S. Follansbee—Truck Hire                                | 40.30    |            |
| L. E. Duston—Truck Hire                                    | 10.00    |            |
| Frank C. Howard—Truck Hire                                 | 32.50    |            |
| Ralph Rooney—Gravel  | 50.00    |            |
| R. C. Hazelton—Blades and Bolts                            | 34.94    |            |



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|--|------------|
| R. C. Hazelton—Parts                   | 17.66      |
| R. C. Hazelton—Plow Parts              | 84.10      |
| R. C. Hazelton—Snow Plow Blade         | 16.50      |
| Worthen's Garage—Gas, Oil, Bolts, Etc. | 24.65      |
| Reed Sales & Service—Winter Patching   | 18.00      |
| Reed Sales & Service—Sand              | 48.00      |
| Worthen's Garage—Gas and Oil           | 5.40       |
| W. Woodard—Labor, Salting and Sanding  | 208.00     |
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|  | \$1,998.30 |

## HAMPSTEAD HANDLE ROAD

|                                     |          |
|-------------------------------------|----------|
| Appropriation                       | \$500.00 |
| R. E. Webber—Shovel Hire            | \$136.00 |
| Cecil C. True—Truck and Grader Hire | 95.00    |
| F. E. Weber—Truck Hire              | 48.10    |
| R. S. Follansbee—Truck Hire         | 86.80    |
| Frank C. Howard—Truck Hire          | 32.50    |
| Levi E. Duston—500 yds. Gravel      | 50.00    |
| Levi E. Duston—Truck Hire           | 35.00    |
| A. Brown—Labor                      | 16.50    |
|                                     | <hr/>    |
|                                     | \$499.90 |

## T. R. A.

|                        |          |
|------------------------|----------|
| Appropriation          | \$171.86 |
| State of New Hampshire | \$138.93 |
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|                        | \$138.93 |

## STREET LIGHTING

|                            |            |
|----------------------------|------------|
| Appropriation              | \$1,450.00 |
| New Hampshire Electric Co. | \$1,442.04 |
|                            | <hr/>      |
|                            | \$1,442.04 |

## GENERAL EXPENSE OF HIGHWAY

|  |         |          |
|--|---------|----------|
| Appropriation  |         | \$100.00 |
| New Hampshire Electric Co.                                     | \$12.00 |          |
| Boston Beef Co.—Gas  | .80     |          |
| Howard's Garage—Gas  | 2.52    |          |
| Haverhill Hardware Supply Co.—Tools                            | 29.13   |          |
| Haverhill Hardware Supply Co.—                                 |         |          |
| Axes and Shears  | 16.06   |          |
| Maurice I. Randall—Workmen's Compensation and Liability        | 29.00   |          |
| Maurice I. Randall—Fire, Theft on Tractor, Plow and Storehouse | 20.50   |          |
| Maurice I. Randall—Extended Coverage on Storehouse             | 1.08    |          |
|  | <hr/>   |          |
|  |         | \$111.09 |

## PUBLIC LIBRARY

|                         |          |          |
|-------------------------|----------|----------|
| Appropriation           |          | \$775.00 |
| Library Appropriation   | \$775.00 |          |
| Interest on Trust Funds | 193.08   |          |
|                         | <hr/>    |          |
|                         |          | \$968.08 |

## OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

|                                 |            |            |
|---------------------------------|------------|------------|
| Appropriation                   |            | \$3,000.00 |
| State of New Hampshire, O.A.A., |            |            |
| Town's Share                    | \$2,697.76 |            |
|                                 | <hr/>      |            |
|                                 |            | \$2,697.76 |

## SPRAYING SHADE TREES

|                                      |          |          |
|--------------------------------------|----------|----------|
| Appropriation                        |          | \$200.00 |
| Rockingham Tree Service Co.—Spraying | \$200.00 |          |
|                                      | <hr/>    |          |
|                                      |          | \$200.00 |

## TOWN WELFARE AND RELIEF WORK

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| Appropriation   | \$3,000.00 |
| State of New Hampshire—Service charge<br>on commodities | \$19.01    |
| Clarkville Farms—Surplus Potatoes—Frt.                  | 2.40       |
| Gerald E. Goodrich—Examination and<br>Glasses           | 24.00      |
| J. E. Faltin Motor Trans. Ins.— Freight<br>on Dry Milk  | 2.30       |
| Chas. H. Kimball Store—Seeds and Potatoes               | 4.09       |
| Luther Johnson—Plowing Garden                           | 4.00       |
| State of New Hampshire—Commodities                      | 10.93      |
| Elliott Hospital—Bed, X-Ray and Lab.                    | 72.90      |
| Joseph S. Hills Agency—Ins. on Porter<br>Homestead      | 20.50      |
| Rent  | 12.50      |
| Lock for Home   | 1.53       |
| Irvin R. Senter—25 Gals. Range Oil                      | 3.63       |
| N. H. Distributing Agency—Express on<br>Commodities     | 1.38       |
| L. E. Duston—Cord Hard Wood                             | 20.00      |
| R. Johnston—Thawing and Repairing<br>Water Pipes        | 18.37      |
| Gates Store   | 30.20      |
| Boston Beef Co.   | 108.04     |
| Joseph M. Tait  | 40.57      |
| Custeau's Market  | 19.96      |
| Dr. Moore   | 4.00       |
|   | <hr/>      |
|   | \$420.31   |

## MEMORIAL DAY

|                                    |          |
|------------------------------------|----------|
| Appropriation                      | \$175.00 |
| Jerry Goodrich—Band                | \$150.00 |
| George Chase—Flowers and 3 Wreaths | 10.50    |
| William R. Brickett—Flowers        | 7.50     |

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|--------------------------------------|----------|
| Thomas Root—Firing Squad and Speaker | 22.50    |
| Felt Crafters—12 doz. Flags          | 27.00    |
|                                      | <hr/>    |
|                                      | \$217.50 |

## AID TO SOLDIERS AND FAMILIES

|                    |         |
|--------------------|---------|
| Dr. R. E. Moore    | \$10.00 |
| Gerald E. Goodrich | 17.00   |
|                    | <hr/>   |
|                    | \$27.00 |

## CEMETERIES

|               |          |
|---------------|----------|
| Appropriation | \$800.00 |
|---------------|----------|

*Lakeview*

|                                   |          |
|-----------------------------------|----------|
| Norris Webster, Labor             | \$371.50 |
| Norris Webster, Truck and Tractor | 17.50    |
| Carroll Coombs                    | 19.00    |
| Frank Howard                      | 2.00     |
| Wesley Stone                      | 17.50    |
|                                   | <hr/>    |
|                                   | \$427.50 |

*Old Cemetery*

|                               |          |
|-------------------------------|----------|
| Norris Webster, Labor         | \$191.00 |
| Norris Webster, Truck         | 4.00     |
| Carroll Coombs                | 44.00    |
| Wesley Stone                  | 17.00    |
| Frank Howard, Labor and Truck | 25.00    |
| Dean Howard                   | 1.00     |
|                               | <hr/>    |
|                               | \$282.00 |

*West Hampstead*

|                       |         |
|-----------------------|---------|
| Carroll Coombs        | \$24.00 |
| Norris Webster        | 55.00   |
| Norris Webster, Truck | 1.00    |

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|-----------------|------|
| Frank C. Howard | 6.00 |
| Wesley Stone    | 1.50 |

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\$87.50

*Pine Ridge*

|                       |         |
|-----------------------|---------|
| Carroll Coombs        | \$11.50 |
| Norris Webster        | 47.50   |
| Norris Webster, Truck | 2.00    |
| Wesley Stone          | 3.50    |

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\$64.50

*Hadley*

|                |         |
|----------------|---------|
| Norris Webster | \$42.50 |
| Carroll Coombs | 13.00   |
| Wesley Stone   | 3.50    |

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\$59.00

*Hampstead Handle*

|                       |        |
|-----------------------|--------|
| Norris Webster        | \$7.00 |
| Norris Webster, Truck | 2.00   |

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\$9.00

*East Road*

|                |        |
|----------------|--------|
| Carroll Coombs | \$3.00 |
| Norris Webster | 6.00   |

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\$9.00

*Plaistow Road*

|                       |        |
|-----------------------|--------|
| Norris Webster        | \$5.00 |
| Norris Webster, Truck | 2.00   |
| Norris Webster        | 2.00   |
| Carroll Coombs        | 2.00   |

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\$11.00

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| Maurice I. Randall—Insurance on Mower                       | \$10.00 *  |
| Boston Beef Co.—Gas and Oil                                 | 4.39       |
| Worthen's Garage—Gas and Spark Plugs                        | 2.50       |
| Lewis C. Darling—Gas  | 14.09      |
| Howard's Garage—Condenser, Oil and Labor                    | 4.30       |
| Norris Webster—Labor on Trimmer and<br>Use of Truck         | 8.00       |
| Frank Howard—Labor and Truck, Pine<br>Ridge, West Hampstead | 4.00       |
| Thompson Hardware Co.—Supplies                              | 3.25       |
| Smith Elec. Shop—Repairs on Trimmer                         | 1.25       |
| Thompson Hardware Co.—Cord and Brushes                      | 3.30       |
| Harvey E. Tuck—Welding                                      | 2.00       |
| A. Wengel—Labor on Lawn Mower                               | 4.00       |
| Haverhill Hardware—Bushings                                 | .50        |
| Haverhill Hardware—3 Pump Washers                           | 1.50       |
| Smith's Electric Shop—Install Brush<br>in Grass Cutter      | .75        |
| Thompson Hardward Co.                                       | 1.03       |
| Norris Webster—2 yds. Loam                                  | 6.00       |
|   | <hr/>      |
|   | \$1,020.36 |

### SEXTON'S REPORT

I sincerely thank all for their cooperation this past year.

L. NORRIS WEBSTER

Sexton

### TAXES BOUGHT BY TOWN

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| Thorndyke Putnam, Taxes bought by<br>Town | \$1,812.36 |
|---|------------|

### DAMAGE AND LEGAL EXPENSE

|                             |          |
|-----------------------------|----------|
| Appropriation               | \$175.00 |
| John W. A. Green—1 Tax Deed | \$1.00   |

|  |         |
|--|---------|
| John W. A. Green—Examining Records<br>and Copying Transfer | 33.20   |
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|  | \$34.20 |

## INTEREST ON TEMPORARY LOAN

|  |          |
|--|----------|
| Appropriation  | \$125.00 |
| First National Bank of Derry—Tempor-<br>ary Loan, Interest | \$70.00  |
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|  | \$70.00  |

## INDEBTEDNESS

|  |             |
|--|-------------|
| First National Bank of Derry—Tempor-<br>ary Loan | \$10,000.00 |
|--|-------------|

## PAYMENT TO OTHER GOVERNMENT DIVISIONS

|   |            |
|---|------------|
| Appropriation                                     | \$4,295.35 |
| Earl Stockbridge, County Treasurer—<br>County Tax | \$4,295.35 |

## SCHOOL DISTRICT

|                              |             |
|------------------------------|-------------|
| Appropriation                | \$42,202.05 |
| 1951 Appropriation           | \$42,202.05 |
| 1951 Interest on Trust Funds | 569.04      |
|                              | <hr/>       |
|                              | \$42,771.09 |

## UNCLASSIFIED

|   |          |
|---|----------|
| New Hampshire Industrial School—Board<br>and Room | \$127.00 |
|---|----------|

## HEAD TAXES

|  |             |
|--|-------------|
| State of New Hampshire—Head Taxes                      | \$2,524.97  |
| Thorndyke Putnam—Head Tax Collection                   | \$51.53     |
| Total  | \$79,413.14 |
| Selectmen's Orders Nos. 104-344 Inclusive and No. 346. |             |

## REPORT OF THE TRUST FUNDS OF THE TOWN OF HAMPSTEAD ON DECEMBER 31, 1951

| Date of<br>Creation | TRUST FUNDS—<br>PURPOSE OF CREATION | HOW INVESTED                          | Amount of Principal | Rate of Interest | Bal. of Income on<br>Hand at Beg. of Yr. | Income During<br>Year | Expended During<br>Year | Bal. of Income on<br>Hand, End of Year |
|---------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------------------|---------------------|------------------|--|-----------------------|-------------------------|--|
| 1895                | James Gordon Fund—Library Fund      | U. S. Treasury Bond                   | \$500.00            | 2½               |  | \$12.50               | \$12.50                 |  |
| 1898                | Nelson Ordway Fund—Library Fund     | Manchester Savings Bank<br>No. 114377 | 2,500.00            | 3                |  | 69.22                 | 69.22                   |  |
| 1927                | Nelson Ordway Fund—Library Fund     | Amoskeag Savings Bank<br>No. 65093    | 2,500.00            | 3                |  |                       |                         |  |
| 1919                | George White Fund—Library Fund      | Amoskeag Savings Bank                 | 1,022.19            | 3                |  | 111.36                | 111.36                  |  |
| 1931                | Martha Ordway Fund—Library Fund     | Amoskeag Savings Bank                 | 500.00              | 3                |  |                       |                         |  |
| Cemetery Funds      |                                     |                                       |                     |                  |  |                       |                         |  |
|                     | As previously reported              | Manchester Savings Bank<br>No. 167186 | 7,415.25            | 3                |  | 206.05                | 206.05                  |  |
|                     | Series "G" Bonds                    | U. S. Bonds                           | 1,500.00            | 2½               |  | 37.50                 | 37.50                   |  |



|                                |  |  |  | TOWN OF HAMPSTEAD                     |                    |    |                   |
|--------------------------------|--|--|--|---------------------------------------|--------------------|----|-------------------|
| James Johnson Fund—Hadley Cem. |  |  |  | U. S. Bonds                           | 1,000.00           | 2½ | 25.00             |
| 1951                           | Albert Haynes                              |  |  | Manchester Savings Bank<br>No. 167186 | 50.00              | 3  | 25.00             |
| 1934                           | Martha Ordway Fund—Park Fund               |  |  | N. H. Savings Bank<br>No. 104205      | 1,000.00           | 3  | 393.73            |
| 1945                           | Capital Reserve Fund                       |  |  | Union Trust Co.<br>No. 32454          | 1,000.00           | 2½ | 167.50            |
| 1857                           | High School Funds<br>Benjamin Emerson Fund |  |  | Amoskeag Savings Bank<br>No. 200859   | 7,244.28           | 3  | 200.56            |
|                                | Benjamin Emerson Fund                      |  |  | Manchester Savings Bank<br>No. 181974 | 1,600.00           | 3  | 44.00             |
|                                | Benjamin Emerson Fund                      |  |  | N. H. Savings Bank<br>No. 105443      | 2,316.25           | 3  | 69.48             |
|                                | Benjamin Emerson Fund                      |  |  | Series "G" Bonds, U. S.               | 1,0200.00          | 2½ | 255.00            |
|                                |  |  |  |                                       | <u>\$40,347.97</u> |    | <u>\$1,030.67</u> |
|                                |  |  |  |                                       |                    |    | <u>\$561.23</u>   |

## AUDITORS' STATEMENT

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts of the Trustee of the Trust Funds for year ending December 31, 1951, and find them correctly cast, and proper vouchers therefor.

STANLEY P. JOHNSON  
HAROLD H. SHEDD

Auditors

TRUSTEES' REPORT OF  
HAMPSTEAD PUBLIC LIBRARY

|  |          |            |
|--|----------|------------|
| Balance on hand December 31, 1950      | \$400.20 |            |
| Receipts:                              |          |            |
| January—Interest on Trust Fund         | 176.57   |            |
| Adjustment for repairs on roof—Curtis  |          |            |
| Insurance Agency                       | 225.00   |            |
| Refund on Magazine                     | 2.00     |            |
| Transfer of building fund to regular   |          |            |
| account                                | 138.40   |            |
| Town Allotment                         | 775.00   |            |
| Sale of book                           | 3.15     |            |
| Total Receipts                         |          | \$1,720.32 |
| <hr/>                                  |          |            |
| Disbursements from January 1, 1951 to  |          |            |
| December 31, 1951:                     |          |            |
| Librarian's Salary                     | \$366.25 |            |
| New Hampshire Electric Company         | 40.08    |            |
| Insurance                              | 92.96    |            |
| Heat                                   | 123.11   |            |
| Janitor Service                        | 55.25    |            |
| Books and Magazines                    | 184.96   |            |
| Repairs on roof, Mr. Warren Ells       | 225.00   |            |
| New locks on doors and windows and     |          |            |
| new keys, Mr. Harvey Tuck              | 29.00    |            |
| Painting interior of Library, Mr. Ben- |          |            |
| jamin Clow                             | 275.01   |            |

|                                    |            |
|------------------------------------|------------|
| Part payment on oil burner, Mr. R. |            |
| Sayers                             | 200.00     |
| (Balance to be paid Feb. 1, 1952)  |            |
| Supplies and Miscellaneous         | 43.36      |
|                                    | <hr/>      |
|                                    | \$1,634.98 |
|                                    | <hr/>      |
| Balance on hand, December 31, 1951 | \$85.34    |

AGNES COVELL, Treasurer  
 MADELINE COLLETTE  
 PEARL DARLING



Central School

### AUDITORS' REPORT

We hereby certify that we have examined the foregoing accounts of the Selectmen, Tax Collector, Treasurer, Town Clerk, Trustess of the Trust Funds, Road Agent and the Library Trustess for year ending December 31, 1951, and find them correctly cast, and proper vouchers therefor.

STANLEY P. JOHNSON  
 HAROLD H. SHEDD

Auditors

## TRUSTEES' REPORT—1951

The Trustees of the Hampstead Public Library had an oil burner installed in the Library; due in part to repairs which would be quite costly. We also felt that as the Library had been redecorated recently it would help preserve the building, as already there were small cracks caused by the drastic changes in temperature. Another reason for this decision was the loss of our competent janitor, Frank Clough.

We received from the Curtis Insurance Agency, the sum of \$225.00 to cover damages to the roof, caused by the wind storm. Mr. Warren Ells estimated the damages and he was hired to make the necessary repairs.

The Trustees were greatly upset when they were notified last May by Mrs. Howard Barthelmess, the librarian, that the Library had been broken into. Chief of Police Russell Hall was informed of the theft and he immediately called the State Police. Up to the present time the authorities have been unable to give us any report.

Owing to this theft we have no records. Therefore it is necessary for us to ask for more money to replace stolen items and the very arduous task of recataloguing.

Among the items missing are the following: two accession books, circulation record, fine book, gift book, borrowers' register, record of State Library and Bookmobile books, entire catalogue system, sectional filing cabinet, twenty books and approximately \$1.00 fine money.

The Hampstead Grange very generously donated \$50.00 to the Library, to be used at our discretion.

We were sorry to accept the resignation of Mrs. Barthelmess as Librarian, but we are happy to welcome back Mrs. Beverly Whiteneck.

We wish to thank all persons who donated books to the Library during the past year.

Respectfully submitted,

AGNES COVELL, Treasurer  
MADELINE COLLETTE  
PEARL DARLING



Public Library

### LIBRARIAN'S REPORT

The upward trend of circulation and interest maintained in our library has been very gratifying despite the competition of television.

Through the cooperation of the State Library we obtained supplemental reading for the High School students and special requests for our readers, not available in our book stock. The Bookmobile distributes books to the Library at regular intervals. All the books issued from the State Library aid considerably in the maintenance of our reading facilities.

Our new set of Encyclopedias is a definite asset for reference material.

The interesting gift book, presented by the Hampstead Grange, entitled, "The Grange—Friend of the Farmer," is available for circulation.

It is recommended by the Library Association that a library have its patrons re-registered once in every three years. The list of registrants was revised this year and the names of inactive borrowers withdrawn, causing a decrease in our Borrowers' Register. This will be augmented by new patrons and the possible re-registration of old borrowers.

During my short term as Librarian I have greatly enjoyed serving the patrons of the Hampstead Library.

I acknowledge with sincere appreciation the guidance and cooperation of the Trustees, throughout my term.

I wish to extend thanks to Mrs. Bertha Whiteneck who so ably served as Librarian during my absence.

Many gifts of books and magazines have been gratefully received this year from the following donors: Mrs. Frances Ames Barton, Mrs. Frank Clough, Miss Virginia Collette, Mrs. Mary Coombs (deceased), Mr. Laurence C. Cornwell, Miss Mary G. Davis. Hampstead Grange, Mr. Ralph W. Kelley, Mr. C. Park Pressey, Mrs. Maurice Randall, Miss Ada Ranlett, Mrs. Harold Shedd, Miss S. Evelyn Taylor and Mrs. Charles Warren.

The Library is opened every Wednesday and Saturday, from 3 P.M. to 8 P.M., and we urge you to visit and use your library.

Respectfully submitted,

KATHERINE BARTHELMESS, Librarian  
Resigned, December 1, 1951

## ANNUAL REPORT OF THE PLANNING BOARD

Many people have asked recently, if the Planning Board is still in existence. I wish to inform the people of Hampstead, that we are very much in existence, conducting our regular meetings on the last Sunday of every month, at the Hampstead Fire Station, and holding special meetings whenever necessary. It is our intention to do our work without fanfare, or publicity, and only when an issue of extreme importance confronts our citizens, do we wish to make our presence felt.

The proposed "Zoning & Building Ordinance," which required two years of preparation, has not, as yet, been brought before the voters for action. An article in last years Town Warrant, calling for the voters to set a date for a special Town Meeting to act upon it, was cancelled, because we found that only the Board of Selectmen could set the date. Since that time, we have given the matter further study and find that most of the people are only vaguely familiar with its contents, despite the fact that we held three public hearings, which, I am sorry to state, were poorly attended. We are now considering some form of educational program, so that the voters will be better informed, before they are asked to take action on the subject.

Our Board of Selectmen has asked us to handle a serious matter concerning our cemeteries. Investigation proved that all accurate records were destroyed by fire some time ago. Only an incomplete plan of the Lakeview Cemetery and two confusing record books are available for us to work with. I have appointed a committee of six to handle the matter, three from the Planning Board, Levi Duston as chairman, George Chase, and Harry Sunanday, and three of our interested citizens, Stanley Johnson, Maurice Randall, and Norris Webster. I feel that I have selected a group who will work tirelessly on a perplexing and time-consuming job.

The committee has decided to undertake the Lakeview Cemetery problem first, because of its more extensive use in recent years. Some work has been accomplished, but progress will be slow until the property has been accurately

surveyed. The Board has inserted an article in the Town Warrant, requesting the sum of two hundred dollars to defray this expense.

As part its work, the committee will study and recommend a new set of regulations governing the Trustees of Cemeteries, the Sexton, and the grave lot owners, as well as a modern system of records, properly protected, so that a recurrence of this condition will be impossible. From time to time, the committee may call on the citizens of our town for help. If called upon, may I ask that you cooperate to the best of your ability.

It was most pleasing to hear that Hampstead was awarded first prize for issuing the best "1950 Town Report" of towns in its classification. The Board planned to publicize this honor, but lack of details prevented further action.

Two articles appear in our Town Warrant for 1952, requesting the Town to accept two roads on the shores of Sunset Lake. At the request of the Sunset Lake Improvement Association, I appointed a committee to conduct an investigation, so that data, pertinent to the matter, could be relayed to the voters. Following, is an account of the committee's findings:

Ell's Shore Drive is a hard surfaced road, in good condition, approximately two hundred yards long, and of suitable width to allow safe passage of more than two cars. It extends from Kent Farm Road, to within one hundred feet of Sunset Lake, where it joins East & West Shore Drives. This road is the only entrance and egress to property in the Ell's development, said property being assessed for \$72,000.00, of which the Town derives \$3500.00 annually in taxes. Over sixty families, twelve of which are permanent resident families, depend on this road for passage to and from their homes.

East Shore Drive is a gravel road, basically solid, and of suitable width for safe passage of two cars. It extends from Ell's Shore Drive in an easterly direction, a distance of approximately four hundred yards, running parallel with the shore line. This road was built, over a period of years, by the property owners, at a cost of over two thousand dollars.



During the past year the Association has installed a drainage system to insure protection against washouts.

Thirty homes are located on this road, three more are under construction, and only one saleable lot remains for future construction. Assessed value of this property amounts to \$37,000.00, from which the Town receives over \$1800.00 in taxes. Seven families, consisting of sixteen adults, are permanent residents on this road. Nineteen other property owners must first travel on East Shore Drive, before branching off to their respective roads.

Following are some statistics concerning population growth among neighboring towns, which should prove interesting to the taxpayer:

Population Growth Since 1940

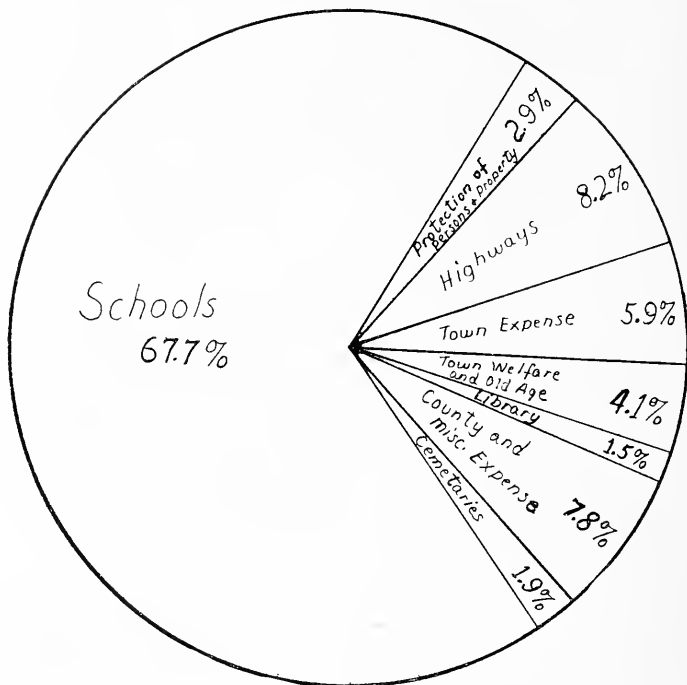
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|-----------|-----|
| Windham   | 52% |
| Salem     | 45% |
| Plaistow  | 39% |
| Pelham    | 34% |
| Newton    | 19% |
| Atkinson  | 13% |
| Hampstead | 9%  |

Rising costs have increased our budget nearly 140% during the past ten years. In 1940, we raised \$23,741.48 with a tax rate of \$27.50 per thousand, while in 1950, we raised \$55,923.54 with a tax rate of \$49.20 per thousand. Town revenue can be acquired only through taxation, and the property owner must pay, unless we gain more people to share these costs. Nine percent increase in population is hardly enough to offset the 140% increase in our budget. What is wrong with Hampstead? Why have people built homes in neighboring towns? What do other towns have that we lack? How can we increase our population in the next few years, to help lighten the burden on our present taxpayer? These are questions which confront the Planning Board at present. Your comment and suggestions on this matter are cordially solicited.

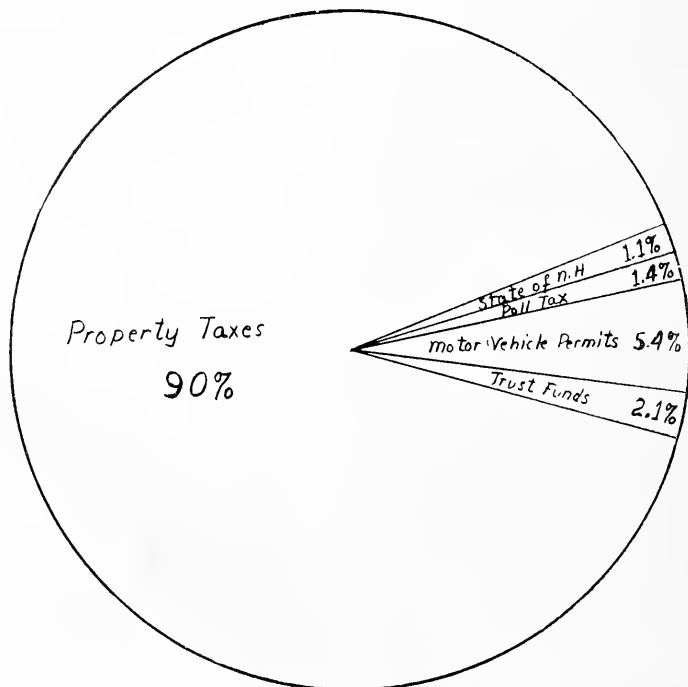
Respectfully submitted,

THOMAS FRANKLYN, Chairman

## 1951 TOWN EXPENDITURES

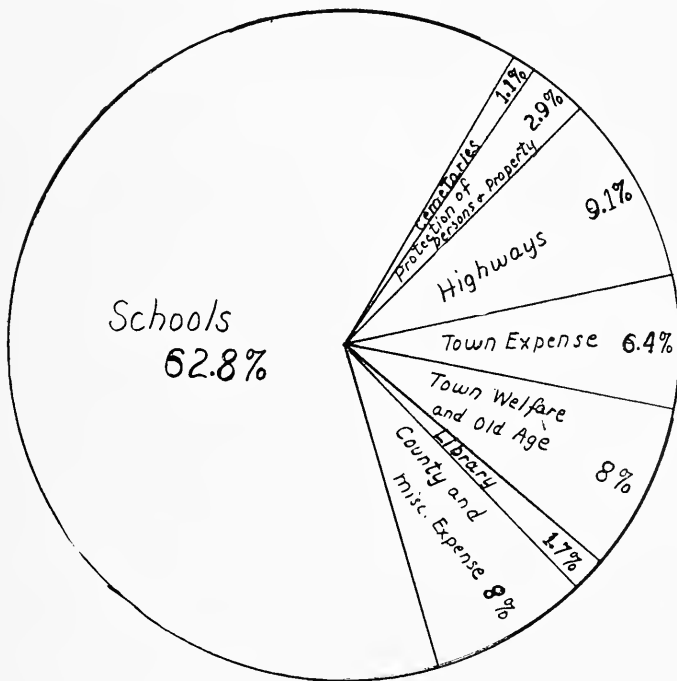


## 1951 TOWN RECEIPTS and REIMBURSEMENTS

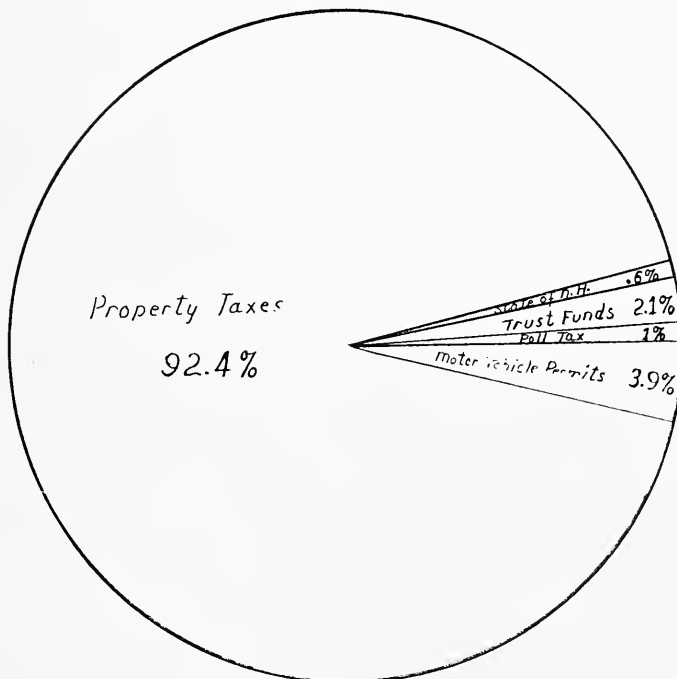


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## 1952 ESTIMATED TOWN EXPENDITURES



## 1952 ESTIMATED RECEIPTS and REIMBURSEMENTS



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# BUILDING AND ZONING ORDINANCE

## TOWN OF HAMPSTEAD, N. H.

In order to retain the beauty and countrified atmosphere of the Town of Hampstead, and to promote health, safety, morals, order, convenience, peace, prosperity, and general welfare of its inhabitants, the following ordinance is hereby enacted by the said Town, pursuant to the authority conferred by Chapter 51, Sections 50-71 of the Revised Laws and Chapters 110 and 128 of the Laws of 1949, of the State of New Hampshire.

### ARTICLE I

#### Establishment of Zoning Districts

##### Section I

For the purpose of this ordinance, the Town of Hampstead is divided into two Zones:

Zone A, shall comprise the whole Town with the exception of Zone B.

Zone B, (Recreation Zone) located and described as follows:

1. All territory extending 500 ft. from the shore of Island Pond and all islands surrounded by its waters.
2. All territory extending 500 ft. from the shores of Angle Pond.
3. All territory extending 500 ft. from the shores of Wash Pond, (Sunset Lake) except that this territory shall terminate 150 ft. from Main St. or Kents Farm Rd.

### ARTICLE II

#### General Regulations, All Zones

##### Section I

No building or structure shall be erected, or moved to a new location, and no existing structure shall be altered or repaired to an extent affecting more than 30% of the total area of the original building or structure, without first obtaining a permit duly granted by the administrative authority, to whom adequate information and plans of the proposed building structure or alteration shall be submitted.

##### Section II

It shall be the duty of the administrative authority to grant or refuse a permit within thirty days after receipt of application. The

applicant may be called in for consultation by the administrative authority within the thirty day period, for the purpose of gaining further information or making suggestions.

#### Section III

Before a permit shall be issued, it shall be first determined by the administrative authority, whether the proposed construction conforms to all the conditions of this ordinance, and the permit shall be issued only when such conformity is assured.

#### Section IV

No permit shall be issued unless the structure will present a reasonable appearance and will be in keeping with the neighborhood and unless building is to be finished on the exterior in a permanent manner and is to be suitably painted on the outside whenever the same is wood or a material customarily painted. This is intended to eliminate the erection of structures obviously out of place for the neighborhood as judged by the property values and neighborhood character. When an objection, on account of the appearance of a proposed structure as above indicated, is raised by a person or persons residing or owning property within a radius of 500 ft. of the property in question, the Board of Adjustment (Article VI) shall hold a public hearing to receive evidence on both sides and shall have the authority to decide whether the permit shall be issued or not.

#### Section V

The Board of Selectmen shall be the administrative authority to issue permits for the erection or alteration of buildings or structures.

#### Section VI

There shall be no charge for permits issued for the erection or alteration of buildings or structures.

#### Section VII

There shall be no building inspector. It shall be the responsibility of the applicant and builder, whose name will appear on the permit, to adhere to all submitted plans and information for which the permit was granted.

#### Section VIII

No owner or occupant of any land shall permit any ruins caused by fire, explosion, flood, storm, or other act of God, to be left unfinished or incomplete thereon, but shall finish or complete or remove the same within 12 months of date of occurrence except when there is property in court litigation it will take place within one year after settlement of such court action.

#### Section IX

No land shall be used for a motor vehicle junk yard, or for a dump, or for the storage of abandoned vehicles or discarded materials

of any kind, in a manner that is disorderly, unsightly, noxious, or detrimental to the public, or prejudicial to the general welfare. The selection of a public dumping place maintained or designated by the Board of Selectmen, shall not be effected by this regulation.

#### Section X

Any aggrieved firm, corporation, or person, may appeal to the Board of Adjustment, who shall have authority to allow slight variance to the specific terms of this Ordinance where it can be shown that they would result in unnecessary hardship. (Article VI)

#### Section XI

Nothing in this Ordinance shall be construed to prevent the continuance of any existing use of land or buildings, but when any non-conforming use is discontinued for at least one year, said building or land shall be subject to the provisions of this Ordinance.

### ARTICLE III

#### **Building Regulations — Zone A**

##### Section I

Every new building or structure shall be set back from the front property line not less than thirty feet, or such distance as shall conform to the line of existing buildings on adjacent property. All new buildings or structures shall be set back not less than fifteen feet from the side and not less than ten feet from the rear property lines.

##### Section II

Every dwelling shall have a minimum floor area of 500 sq. ft. outside measurement for each family unit. Steps or ground level terraces shall not be considered a part of the dwelling for the purpose of this section, but all porches and other similar elements, suitable for year round occupancy, shall be considered a part of the dwelling.

##### Section III

No dwelling shall be built to a height of more than two and one half stories.

##### Section IV

Foundations shall be constructed of concrete, brick, cement block, or stone except that industrial or commercial structures and accessory buildings may be set on brick, stone, cement block or reinforced concrete piers.

##### Section V

Buildings must be framed according to good building practices and outside walls shall be constructed of wood or fire resistant shingles, sidings, clapboards, brick, stucco, concrete or cinder block.

##### Section VI

The roof of every building hereafter erected or recovered in

whole or in part, shall be covered with non-combustible or fire resistant materials, except that this section shall not be construed to prohibit the use of wood shingles in repairing any roof now covered with wood shingles.

#### Section VII

a. Chimneys shall be constructed of stone, brick, or cement to the ground; each shall be lined with flue lining tile and extend at least two (2) feet above the roof to which it belongs, and shall have a clean-out opening at the base. All entrances to said chimney shall be of fire-proof construction. Chimneys shall not be used to support beams or timbers in any manner and shall be so constructed as to provide a 1-inch clear space on all sides.

b. No smoke pipe shall be installed or erected so as to be within twelve (12) inches of any combustible floor or ceiling, unless amply protected with non-combustible material. No smoke pipe shall be installed or erected which passes into or through partitions or walls of combustible material, except when guarded by a double collar of metal with air space of at least five (5) inches, or by at least five (5) inches of brick or other non-combustible material between the pipe and the combustible material.

#### Section VIII

Matters regarding safe practice and building design not specifically provided for in the Ordinance shall be governed by the National Building Code, recommended by the National Board of Fire Underwriters.

#### Section IX

Sections 2, 4, 5, and 6, may be set aside by the administrative authority for temporary buildings or structures which shall be erected for a period of no longer than three years.

#### Section X

Every building or structure must be completed on the outside within three years after issuance of permit.

#### Section XI

Installation of wiring and fixtures for electricity in buildings or structures must comply with the National Electric Code.

#### Section XII

Installation of plumbing must comply with New Hampshire State Laws and Regulations. Sewerage must be disposed of in septic tanks of proper size and its location and drainage system shall comply with New Hampshire State Laws and Regulations.

#### Section XIII

The erection of Quonset Huts or similar structures for residential purposes shall be prohibited.



## ARTICLE IV

**Building Regulations — Zone B**

The provisions of Zone A shall be applicable to Zone B except in the following respects:

## Section I

Every new building or structure shall be set back from the shore line or front property line, which ever case is applicable, a distance not less than that of adjacent buildings or structures and in no case shall that distance be less than 20 feet. All new buildings or structures shall be set back not less than ten feet from the side and rear property lines.

## Section II

Every dwelling shall have a minimum ground floor area of 400 sq. ft. Steps or ground level terraces shall not be considered a part of the dwelling for the purpose of this section, but all porches, piazzas, and other similar elements shall be considered a part of the dwelling.

## Section III

No dwelling shall be built to a height of more than one and one half stories.

## Section IV

Foundations shall be constructed of concrete, brick, cement block or stone and may be constructed in the form of piers of proper size and distance placed on suitable footings below the frost line.

## ARTICLE V

**New Developments**

## Section I

The owner of any plot of ground intended for development or subdivision into building lots shall file with the Planning Board a plan or map of the proposed subdivision, and shall obtain the approval of the Planning Board thereon before proceeding with the development or sale of lots in said subdivision.

## Section II

It shall be the duty of the Planning Board to inspect the site of such proposed subdivision, and to require such roadway and other areas for common use as will eventually be acceptable to the Town for maintenance by the Town, and to approve the same when satisfied that such proposed plans are in harmony and conducive to the general welfare of the Town and the neighborhood, and not detrimental to existing property values, but in no sense shall this be deemed an acceptance by the Town of the street or streets.

### Section III

The purpose of this Article shall be to provide against such scattered or premature subdivision of land as would involve danger or injury to health, safety, or prosperity by reason of the lack of water supply, drainage, transportation, or other public services, or necessitate excessive expenditure of Town funds for the supply of such services and to provide for the harmonious development of the municipality and its environs, and for the proper arrangement and coordination of streets within subdivisions in relation to other existing or planned streets.

## ARTICLE VI

### **Board of Adjustment**

#### Section I

The Board of Adjustment shall consist of five members, each member to be appointed annually for a term of five years by the Board of Selectmen. The Board shall function under the Revised Laws of New Hampshire, Chapter 51, Section 56-71 and Chapter 278, Laws of 1949, or any amendments thereto. It shall be the duty of the Board, in appropriate cases, and subject to appropriate conditions and safeguards, to make special exceptions to the terms of the Ordinance in harmony with its general purpose and intent and in accordance with general or specific rules therein contained.

#### Section II

The Board of Adjustment shall have the following powers:

1. To hear and decide appeals where it is alleged there is error in any order, requirement, decision or determination made by an administrative official in the enforcement hereof or of any ordinance adopted pursuant thereto.
2. To hear and decide special exceptions to the terms of the ordinance upon which such board is required to pass under such ordinance.
3. To authorize upon appeal in specific cases such variance from the terms of the ordinance as will not be contrary to the public interest, where, owing to special conditions, a literal enforcement of the provisions of the ordinance will result in unnecessary hardship, and so that the spirit of the ordinance shall be observed and substantial justice done.
4. In exercising the above-mentioned powers such board may, in conformity with the provisions hereof, reverse or affirm, wholly or partly, or may modify the order, requirement, decision, or determination appealed from and may make such order, or decision, as ought to be made, and to that end shall have all the powers of the officer from whom the appeal is taken.

5. The concurring vote of three members of the board shall be necessary to reverse any action of such administrative official, or to decide in favor of the applicant on any matter upon which it is required to pass under any such ordinance, or to effect any variation in such ordinance.

## ARTICLE VII

### **Conflicting Provisions**

#### Section I

Whenever the regulations made under the authority hereof differ from those prescribed by any statute, ordinance or other regulation, that provision which imposes the greater restriction or the higher standard shall govern.

## ARTICLE VIII

### **Validity**

#### Section I

If any section, clause, provision, portion, or phrase of this ordinance shall be held to be invalid or unconstitutional by any court of competent authority, such holding shall not affect, impair, or invalidate any other section, clause, provision, portion or phrase of the Ordinance.

## ARTICLE IX

### **Enforcement and Penalty**

#### Section I

Upon any well founded information that this Ordinance is being violated, the Selectmen shall, upon their own initiative, take immediate steps to enforce the provisions of this Ordinance.

#### Section II

Whoever violates any of the provisions of this Ordinance, shall be punished upon conviction, by a fine not exceeding \$10.00 for each day of violation in accordance with Public Laws, Chapter 42, Section 67.

## ARTICLE X

### **Amendments**

#### Section I

The provisions of this Ordinance may be amended or changed at any regular or special Town Meeting by a majority of the voters present as provided by Public Laws.

## ARTICLE XI

### **Effective**

#### Section I

This Ordinance shall take effect upon its passage.



ANNUAL REPORT  
OF THE  
SCHOOL BOARD  
OF THE  
TOWN OF HAMPSTEAD, N. H.



Trophies Won by the Basketball and Baseball Teams  
1947 to 1951

# OFFICERS OF THE SCHOOL DISTRICT OF HAMPSTEAD

## BOARD OF EDUCATION

| <i>Name</i>                | <i>Term Expires</i> |
|----------------------------|---------------------|
| Charles B. Clark, Chairman | 1953                |
| Paul M. Covell             | 1952                |
| Arlene B. Sunanday         | 1954                |

| <i>Name</i>                           | <i>Title</i>              |
|---------------------------------------|---------------------------|
| John Hutton (elected annually)        | Moderator                 |
| Charles Brooks (elected annually)     | District Clerk            |
| Abbie Randall (elected annually)      | District Treasurer        |
| Stanley P. Johnson (elected annually) | District Auditor          |
| Pearl E. Darling (elected annually)   | District Auditor          |
| Paul M. Covell                        | Truant Officer            |
| Pearl E. Darling                      | Census Taker              |
| Jonathan A. Osgood                    | Superintendent of Schools |

## SCHOOL WARRANT

## THE STATE OF NEW HAMPSHIRE

To the Inhabitants of the School district in the town of Hampstead qualified to vote in district affairs:

You are hereby notified to meet at the Town Hall in said district on the tenth day of March 1952, at seven o'clock in the afternoon, to act upon the following subjects:

Article 1. To Choose a Moderator for the coming year.

Article 2. To choose a Clerk for the ensuing year.

Article 3. To choose a Member of the School Board for the ensuing three years.

Article 4. To choose a Treasurer for the ensuing year.

Article 5. To determine and appoint the salaries of the School Board and Truant Officer, and fix the compensation of any other officers or agent of the district.

Article 6. To hear the reports of Agents, Auditors, Committees, or Officers chosen, and pass any vote relating thereto.

Article 7. To choose Agents, Auditors and Committees in relation to any subject embraced in this warrant.

Article 8. To see what sum of money the district will raise and appropriate for the support of schools, for the salaries of school district officials and agents, and for the payment of statutory obligations of the district, and to authorize the application against said appropriation of such sums as are estimated to be received from the state equalization fund together with other income; the school board to certify to the selectmen the balance between the estimated revenue and the appropriation, which balance is to be raised by taxes by the town.

Article 9. To see if the district will authorize the school board to make application for and to receive, in the name of the district, such advances, grants-in-aid or other funds for educational purposes as may now or hereafter be forthcoming from Federal or State Agencies, or local or private agencies.

Article 10. To see what sum of money the district will vote to raise and appropriate to paint the exterior of the Hampstead High School building.

Article 11. At the request of the Civic Club, to see what sum of money the district will vote to raise and appropriate to complete the gymnasium.

Article 12. To transact any further business that may legally come before the meeting.

The Polls will be open to vote for District Officers from 7:00 to 9:00 P.M. The other articles of the Warrant will be taken up at 8:00 o'clock.

Given under our hands at said Hampstead this eighteenth day of February, 1952.

CHARLES B. CLARK  
ARLENE B. SUNANDAY  
PAUL M. COVELL

School Board



## ANNUAL REPORT OF DISTRICT TREASURER

Fiscal Year Ending June 30, 1951

## SUMMARY

|  |             |
|--|-------------|
| Cash on hand June 30, 1950             |             |
| (Treasurer's bank balance)             | \$1,004.33  |
| Received from Selectmen:               |             |
| Current Appropriation                  | \$32,827.89 |
| Special Appropriation                  | 590.00      |
| Balance of Previous Appropriation      | 0           |
| Income from Trust Funds                | 535.13      |
| Received from State Treasurer          | 4,699.79    |
| Money borrowed from Merrimack          |             |
| National Bank for Gym Fund             | 8,000.00    |
| Received from all Othe Sources         | 1,110.58    |
|  | <hr/>       |
|  | \$47,763.39 |
| Total Amount Available for Fiscal Year |             |
| (Balance and Receipts)                 | \$48,767.72 |
| Less School Board Orders Paid          | 48,761.38   |
|  | <hr/>       |
| Balance on Hand as of June 30, 1951    |             |
| (Treasurer's Bank Balance)             | \$6.34      |

ABBIE E. RANDALL,  
District Treasurer

July 11, 1951

## AUDITORS' CERTIFICATE

(Required by the State Board of Education from all  
State Aided Districts)

This is to certify that we have examined the books, vouchers, bank statements and other financial records of the treasurer of the school district of Hampstead, N. H., of which the above is a true summary for the fiscal year ending June 30, 1951 and find them correct in all respects.

STANLEY P. JOHNSON  
PEARL E. DARLING

Auditors

July 17, 1951

## DETAILED STATEMENT OF RECEIPTS

1950

|  |            |
|--|------------|
| Aug. 7—Town of Hampstead, Appropriation                | \$2,000.00 |
| Sept. 11—Town of Hampstead, Appropriation              | 5,000.00   |
| Oct. 10—Town of Hampstead, Appropriation               | 5,000.00   |
| Nov. 6—Town of Hampstead, Appropriation                | 5,000.00   |
| Dec. 10—State of New Hampshire, Sept.<br>Lunch Program | 149.67     |
| Dec. 10—State of New Hampshire, State Aid              | 3,043.76   |

1951

|  |                 |
|--|-----------------|
| Jan. 8—State of New Hampshire, Oct. Lunch Program          | 222.57          |
| Jan. 8—State of New Hampshire, Nov. Lunch Program          | 197.46          |
| Jan. 8—Town of Hampstead, Interest on<br>Trust Funds       | \$535.13        |
| Balance 1950 Appropriation                                 | 15,827.89       |
|  | <hr/> 16,363.02 |
| Jan. 22—Hampstead Civic Club, for Interest on<br>Gym Notes | 60.00           |
| Jan. 22—Atkinson School District, Tuition                  | 25.00           |
| Jan. 31—Sandown School District, Tuition                   | 180.00          |
| Jan. 31—Danville School District, Tuition                  | 60.00           |
| Feb. 1—Merrimack Mutual Fire Ins. Co., Loss<br>Payment     | 44.64           |
| Feb. 26—N. H. Fire Ins. Co., Loss Payment                  | 14.10           |
| Feb. 28—Maurice I. Randall, Insurance Rebate               | 24.34           |
| Feb. 28—State of N. H., Dec. Lunch Program                 | 144.63          |
| Feb. 28—State of N. H., Jan. Lunch Program                 | 171.50          |
| Mar. 29—State of N. H., Feb. Lunch Program                 | 108.43          |
| Apr. 5—Danville School District, Tuition                   | 180.00          |
| May 5—State of N. H., Mar. Lunch Program                   | 119.95          |
| May 28—State of N. H., Apr. Lunch Program                  | 96.50           |
| June 4—Town of Hampstead, for Teachers' Retirement         | 590.00          |
| June 28—State of N. H., May Lunch Program                  | 132.10          |
| June 29—Hampstead High General Acc't.                      | 522.50          |
| June 30—State of N. H., Receipts from Federal Funds        | 312.60          |
| June 30—State of N. H., for Fiscal Year 1950-1951          | .62             |

1950

|   |                    |
|---|--------------------|
| July 17—Merrimack National Bank, borrowed for |                    |
| Special Account, Gym Fund                     | 8,000.00           |
| Total Receipts during Year                    | <u>\$48,767.72</u> |

## FINANCIAL REPORT

of the Hampstead School District for the Fiscal Year  
Beginning July 1, 1950 and ending June 30, 1951

## CERTIFICATE

This is to certify that the information contained in this report was taken from official records and is complete and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief. The accounts are kept in accordance with Section 24 of Chapter 82 of the Revised Laws of New Hampshire 1942. and upon forms prescribed by the State Commission.

JONATHAN A. OSGOOD

Superintendent

July 12, 1951

PAUL M. COVELL

CHARLES B. CLARK

ARLENE B. SUNANDAY

School Board

## RECEIPTS

## FEDERAL AID

|                                |                              |
|--------------------------------|------------------------------|
| Smith-Hughes and George-Barden |                              |
| (Secondary)                    | \$313.22                     |
| National School Lunch          | 1,342.81                     |
| Total                          | <u>          </u> \$1,656.03 |

## STATE AID

|                            |                              |
|----------------------------|------------------------------|
| Equalization and Emergency | \$3,043.76                   |
| Total                      | <u>          </u> \$3,043.76 |

## LOCAL TAXATION

|                        |                   |             |
|------------------------|-------------------|-------------|
| Current Appropriation  | \$32,827.89       |             |
| Special Appropriations | 590.00            |             |
| Total                  | <u>          </u> | \$33,417.89 |

## OTHER SOURCES

|                                 |                   |            |
|---------------------------------|-------------------|------------|
| Secondary School Tuitions       | \$455.00          |            |
| Trust Funds                     | 535.13            |            |
| Notes or Bonds (Money Borrowed) | 8,000.00          |            |
| Other                           | 665.58            |            |
| Total                           | <u>          </u> | \$9,645.71 |

|   |                   |             |
|---|-------------------|-------------|
| Total Receipts from All Sources                 | <u>          </u> | \$47,763.39 |
| Cash on Hand at Beginning of Year, July 1, 1950 |                   | \$1,004.33  |

|             |  |                                  |
|-------------|--|----------------------------------|
| GRAND TOTAL |  | <u>          </u><br>\$48,767.72 |
|-------------|--|----------------------------------|

# PAYMENTS

Distribution of Expenditures

| Total  | General | High   | Elem.  |
|--------|---------|--------|--------|
| Amount | Expense | School | School |

## ADMINISTRATION:

Salaries of district officers  
 Superintendent's salary (local share)  
 Tax for state wide supervision  
 Salaries of other administrative personnel  
 Supplies and expenses

|          |         |  |          |
|----------|---------|--|----------|
| \$318.00 | \$85.86 |  | \$232.14 |
| 443.65   | 128.65  |  | 315.00   |
| 306.00   | 82.62   |  | 223.38   |
| 240.05   | 69.61   |  | 170.44   |
| 228.93   | 61.80   |  | 167.13   |

## INSTRUCTION:

Teachers' Salaries  
 Books and other instructional aids  
 Scholars' supplies  
 Salaries of clerical assistants  
 Supplies and other expenses

|           |          |  |           |
|-----------|----------|--|-----------|
| 20,917.27 | 9,819.98 |  | 11,097.29 |
| 331.34    | 232.65   |  | 98.69     |
| 390.75    | 247.60   |  | 143.15    |
| 100.00    | 40.00    |  | 60.00     |
| 477.57    | 319.68   |  | 157.89    |

## OPERATION OF SCHOOL PLANT:

Salaries of janitors  
 Fuel or heat  
 Water, light, supplies and expenses

|          |        |  |          |
|----------|--------|--|----------|
| 1,976.00 | 658.65 |  | 1,317.35 |
| 1,759.51 | 792.71 |  | 966.80   |
| 733.24   | 342.36 |  | 390.88   |

## MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL PLANT:

Repairs and Replacements

|          |        |  |        |
|----------|--------|--|--------|
| 1,199.87 | 691.40 |  | 508.47 |
|----------|--------|--|--------|

|   |             |             |             |
|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| <b>AUXILIARY ACTIVITIES:</b>                      |             |             |             |
| Health supervision                                | 349.66      | 85.87       | 263.79      |
| Transportation                                    | 3,488.88    | 735.00      | 2,753.88    |
| Special activities and special funds              | 139.10      | 100.00      | 39.10       |
| School lunch (federal and district funds)         | 2,255.31    | 614.05      | 1,641.26    |
| <b>FIXED CHARGES:</b>                             |             |             |             |
| Retirement  | 1,209.93    | 576.73      | 633.20      |
| Insurance, treas. bonds and expenses              | 592.28      | 154.16      | 438.12      |
|   | <hr/>       | <hr/>       | <hr/>       |
| <b>TOTAL CURRENT EXPENSES</b>                     | \$37,457.34 | \$15,839.38 | \$21,617.96 |
| <b>CAPITAL OUTLAY:</b>                            |             |             |             |
| Additions and improvements to buildings           | \$8,348.00  | \$8,000.00  | \$348.00    |
| New Equipment                                     | 646.04      | 416.96      | 229.08      |
| <b>DEBT AND INTEREST:</b>                         |             |             |             |
| Principal of debt                                 | 2,000.00    | 2,000.00    |             |
| Interest on debt                                  | 310.00      | 310.00      |             |
|   | <hr/>       | <hr/>       | <hr/>       |
| <b>TOTAL PAYMENTS FOR ALL PURPOSES</b>            | \$48,761.38 | \$24,256.34 | \$22,195.04 |
| Total cash on hand at end of year (June 30, 1951) | \$6.34      |             |             |
|   | <hr/>       |             |             |
| <b>GRAND TOTAL</b>                                | \$48,767.72 |             |             |

## BALANCE SHEET, JUNE 30, 1951

| <i>Assets</i>                 |             | <i>Liabilities</i>             |             |
|-------------------------------|-------------|--------------------------------|-------------|
| Cash on hand June 30, 1951    | \$6.34      | Accounts owed by district      |             |
| Accounts due to district      |             | a. Hampstead High Activity     | \$38.45     |
| a. From Federal Agency        | 38.45       | b. Frances Biggart             | 9.00        |
| b. Tuition—Sandown District   | 180.00      | c. Marion Clark                | 6.00        |
|                               |             | d. S. A. LaPerle & Sons        | 78.24       |
| Total Assets                  | \$224.79    | e. Curtis Insurance Agency     | 77.90       |
| Net Debt (Excess of Liability |             | f. Bonds and Notes Outstanding | 26,000.00   |
| over Assets)                  | 25,984.80   |                                |             |
|                               |             | Total Liabilities              | \$26,209.59 |
| GRAND TOTAL                   | \$26,209.59 | GRAND TOTAL                    | \$26,209.59 |

## STATUS OF SCHOOL NOTES AND BONDS

|  |             |
|--|-------------|
| Outstanding at beginning of year           | \$20,000.00 |
| Issued during year:                        |             |
| a. For new capital outlay                  | 8,000.00    |
| TOTAL                                      | \$28,000.00 |
| Payments of principal of debt              | 2,000.00    |
| Notes and bonds outstanding at end of year | \$26,000.00 |

## DETAILED EXPENDITURES

## SALARIES OF DISTRICT OFFICERS

|                                   |        |          |
|-----------------------------------|--------|----------|
| Charles Brooks                    | \$3.00 |          |
| Charles Clark                     | 75.00  |          |
| Jayne Clark                       | 2.00   |          |
| Jenny Clark                       | 2.00   |          |
| Madeline Collette                 | 2.00   |          |
| Paul Covell                       | 47.35  |          |
| Pearl Darling                     | 3.00   |          |
| Stanley P. Johnson                | 3.00   |          |
| Abbie Randall                     | 50.00  |          |
| Arlene Sunanday                   | 75.00  |          |
| N. H.-Vt. Hospitalization Service | 52.65  |          |
| John Hutton                       | 3.00   |          |
|                                   | <hr/>  | \$318.00 |

## SUPERINTENDENT'S SALARY

|                          |          |
|--------------------------|----------|
| Supervisory Union No. 55 | \$443.65 |
|--------------------------|----------|

## TAX FOR STATEWIDE SUPERVISION

|                          |          |
|--------------------------|----------|
| Supervisory Union No. 55 | \$306.00 |
|--------------------------|----------|

SALARIES OF OTHER ADMINISTRATIVE  
PERSONNEL

|                             |          |          |
|-----------------------------|----------|----------|
| Supervisory Union No. 55    | \$215.00 |          |
| Pearl Darling, Census Taker | 25.00    |          |
|                             | <hr/>    | \$240.05 |

## ADMINISTRATIVE SUPPLIES AND EXPENSES

|                     |        |
|---------------------|--------|
| Casey Paper Company | \$2.70 |
| Charles Clark       | 6.00   |
| Madeline Collette   | 4.38   |
| Paul Covell         | 5.00   |
| First National Bank | 3.50   |
| John W. A. Green    | 1.25   |



|   |        |          |
|---|--------|----------|
| R. E. Lane                              | .95    |          |
| New Hampshire State School Board Assoc. | 5.00   |          |
| Abbie Randall                           | 5.00   |          |
| Rush-A-Service                          | 10.85  |          |
| Rockingham County School Board Assoc.   | 1.00   |          |
| Supervisory Union No. 55                | 174.85 |          |
| John H. Wagner                          | 8.45   |          |
|   | <hr/>  | \$228.93 |

## PRINCIPALS' AND TEACHERS' SALARIES

Actual Contracted

Salary for School

Year 1950-1951

|                                   |            |             |
|-----------------------------------|------------|-------------|
| David Greenlaw                    | \$3,600.00 | \$2,842.26  |
| Frances Hoyt                      | 2,450.00   | 1,907.62    |
| Gladys R. Dyke                    | 2,450.00   | 1,932.31    |
| Gloria White                      | 2,300.00   | 1,865.09    |
| Walter White                      | 2,400.00   | 1,947.18    |
| Lora Sinskie                      | 2,250.00   | 1,898.83    |
| Beatrice Reynolds                 | 2,250.00   | 1,669.25    |
| Eleanor Houston                   | 2,250.00   | 1,509.38    |
| Alice Davidson                    |            | 48.00       |
| Dorothy Duston                    |            | 390.96      |
| Mildred Garland                   |            | 160.00      |
| Ruth O'Connor                     |            | 136.00      |
| Collector of Internal Revenue     |            | 2,322.60    |
| N. H. State Teachers' Association |            | 72.00       |
| N. H.-Vt. Hospitalization Service |            | 153.30      |
| N. H. Teachers' Retirement System |            | 1,311.13    |
| Supervisory Union No. 55          |            | 751.36      |
|                                   | <hr/>      | \$20,917.27 |

## BOOKS AND OTHER INSTRUCTIONAL AIDS

|                            |         |
|----------------------------|---------|
| Allyn & Bacon              | \$23.89 |
| Bobbs Merrill Company Inc. | 1.29    |
| Charles Scribners' Sons    | 3.46    |
| Ginn & Company             | 48.04   |

|  |       |          |
|--|-------|----------|
| Gregg Publishing Company                 | 16.54 |          |
| Haverhill Hardware & Plumbing Supply Co. | 22.64 |          |
| D. C. Heath Company                      | 26.12 |          |
| Lyons and Carnahan                       | 3.89  |          |
| J. B. Lippincott Company                 | .85   |          |
| Macmillan Company                        | 25.12 |          |
| McCormick-Mathers Publishing Company     | 7.29  |          |
| J. J. Moreau & Son, Inc.                 | 25.73 |          |
| Scott-Foresman and Company               | 14.33 |          |
| Lora G. Sinskie                          | 34.17 |          |
| L. W. Singer Company, Inc.               | 27.75 |          |
| South-Western Publishing Company         | 18.68 |          |
| Supervisory Union No. 55                 | 6.68  |          |
| Silver Burdett Company                   | 24.87 |          |
|  | <hr/> | \$331.34 |

#### SCHOLARS' SUPPLIES

|  |         |          |
|--|---------|----------|
| American Education Press                 | \$21.75 |          |
| Boston Music Company                     | 5.68    |          |
| D. J. Casey Paper Company                | 1.45    |          |
| D. D. Chase Lumber Company               | 17.43   |          |
| Civic Education Service, Inc.            | 13.50   |          |
| Cambosco Scientific Company              | 17.64   |          |
| Edward E. Babb Company                   | 160.60  |          |
| Elliott's                                | 18.05   |          |
| Lewis C. Darling                         | 62.68   |          |
| Haverhill Hardware & Plumbing Supply Co. | 18.53   |          |
| Mainco Trading Company                   | 8.86    |          |
| Peever's                                 | 4.45    |          |
| Sears Roebuck and Company                | 24.93   |          |
| South-Western Publishing Company         | 11.20   |          |
| F. W. Woolworth Co.                      | 4.00    |          |
|  | <hr/>   | \$390.75 |

#### SALARIES OF CLERICAL ASSISTANTS

|                          |          |
|--------------------------|----------|
| Supervisory Union No. 55 | \$100.00 |
|--------------------------|----------|

## SUPPLIES AND OTHER EXPENSES

|   |         |          |
|---|---------|----------|
| M. N. Perkins Co.                         | \$11.54 |          |
| Edward E. Babb Company                    | 2.57    |          |
| C. C. Birchard Company                    | 7.05    |          |
| Boston Music Company                      | 10.76   |          |
| Boston University                         | 13.30   |          |
| D. J. Casey Paper Company                 | .80     |          |
| Educators Progress Service                | 13.45   |          |
| Educational and Recreational Guides, Inc. | 3.00    |          |
| David Greenlaw                            | 10.00   |          |
| Hampstead High School Activity Fund       | 32.25   |          |
| Houghton Mifflin Company                  | 2.36    |          |
| J. B. Lippincott Company                  | 1.67    |          |
| Morse Picture Shop                        | 2.90    |          |
| National Education Association            | 1.39    |          |
| New England Tel. & Tel. Co.               | 127.52  |          |
| News Map of the Week Inc.                 | 15.00   |          |
| A. H. Rice Company, Inc.                  | 5.00    |          |
| Sears Roebuck and Company                 | 6.78    |          |
| Science Research Association              | 22.00   |          |
| Scott-Foresman Company                    | 7.18    |          |
| Sulloway, Piper, Jones, Hollis & Company  | 28.37   |          |
| Supervisory Union No. 55                  | 117.57  |          |
| Walter White                              | 8.60    |          |
| Wason-MacDonald Co.                       | 2.10    |          |
| Webster Publishing Co.                    | 4.15    |          |
| World Book Co.                            | 19.01   |          |
| Gloria White                              | 1.25    |          |
|   | <hr/>   | \$477.57 |

## SALARIES OF JANITORS

|                               |            |            |
|-------------------------------|------------|------------|
| Roland Emerson                | \$1,931.60 |            |
| Collector of Internal Revenue | 44.40      |            |
|                               | <hr/>      | \$1,976.00 |

## FUEL OR HEAT

|                |          |            |
|----------------|----------|------------|
| Cross Coal Co. | \$500.75 |            |
| K. H. Duston   | 1,228.76 |            |
| L. E. Duston   | 30.00    |            |
|                | <hr/>    | \$1,759.51 |

## WATER, LIGHT, SUPPLIES AND EXPENSES

|                              |         |          |
|------------------------------|---------|----------|
| Edward E. Babb Co.           | \$43.00 |          |
| H. Berger Paper Co.          | 10.59   |          |
| Boston Beef Co.              | 3.52    |          |
| Lewis C. Darling             | 10.00   |          |
| George Higgins               | 4.50    |          |
| J. Holcomb Manufacturing Co. | 13.60   |          |
| Huntington Laboratories      | 76.42   |          |
| Masury Young Co.             | 29.78   |          |
| N. H. Electric Co.           | 58.36   |          |
| N. H. Gas & Electric Co.     | 456.60  |          |
| F. X. Robichaud              | 15.72   |          |
| Harry S. Vaughn Co.          | 2.50    |          |
| Waxine Co.                   | 8.65    |          |
|                              | <hr/>   | \$733.24 |

## REPAIRS AND REPLACEMENTS

|  |         |  |
|--|---------|--|
| Roland Emerson                           | \$24.36 |  |
| S. LaPerle                               | 440.00  |  |
| C. Henry Lenz                            | 17.75   |  |
| Bernard J. Raynowska                     | 30.00   |  |
| Beckley Cardy Co.                        | 2.05    |  |
| J. Bresnahan Co.                         | 12.36   |  |
| Robert Brown                             | 3.50    |  |
| Warren Ells                              | 136.64  |  |
| A. P. Granz                              | 8.20    |  |
| Howard's Garage                          | 2.50    |  |
| Haverhill Hardware & Plumbing Supply Co. | 18.20   |  |
| R. Arthur Johnston                       | 276.51  |  |
| Chase H. Kimball Store                   | 12.75   |  |
| Hayford Kimball                          | 7.79    |  |

|                                    |        |            |
|------------------------------------|--------|------------|
| Merrimack Farmers' Exchange, Inc.  | 2.28   |            |
| David W. Otis                      | 116.79 |            |
| George B. Robbins Disinfectant Co. | 5.72   |            |
| F. X. Robichaud                    | 31.63  |            |
| George Seymour                     | .25    |            |
| C. C. True                         | 25.25  |            |
| H. E. Tuck                         | 2.50   |            |
| Letoile Roofing Co.                | 22.84  |            |
|                                    | <hr/>  | \$1,199.87 |

## HEALTH SUPERVISION

|                          |        |          |
|--------------------------|--------|----------|
| Casey Paper Co.          | \$4.75 |          |
| Mainco Trading Co.       | 10.10  |          |
| Peevers Drug Store       | 9.90   |          |
| The Reigle Press         | 2.69   |          |
| R. S. Sawyer Co.         | 4.26   |          |
| Supervisory Union No. 55 | 316.16 |          |
| University of N. H.      | 1.80   |          |
|                          | <hr/>  | \$349.66 |

## TRANSPORTATION

|                    |            |            |
|--------------------|------------|------------|
| Levi Duston        | \$3,300.00 |            |
| Mrs. Frederic Gray | 103.88     |            |
| Frances Hoyt       | 75.00      |            |
|                    | <hr/>      | \$3,488.88 |

## SPECIAL ACTIVITIES AND SPECIAL FUNDS

|                                     |          |            |
|-------------------------------------|----------|------------|
| Frances Biggart                     | \$15.00  |            |
| Jennie Clark                        | 3.00     |            |
| Marion Clark                        | 32.00    |            |
| Collector of Internal Revenue       | 39.00    |            |
| Irma Coombs                         | 776.00   |            |
| Beverly Duston                      | 20.00    |            |
| Enid Duston                         | 25.00    |            |
| Hampstead High School Activity Fund | 1,442.81 |            |
| Haverhill Rubber Co.                | 29.10    |            |
| Carol Liberty                       | 2.50     |            |
| Supervisory Union No. 55            | 10.00    |            |
|                                     | <hr/>    | \$2,394.41 |

## RETIREMENT

|                                   |            |            |
|-----------------------------------|------------|------------|
| N. H. Teachers' Retirement System | \$1,183.35 |            |
| Supervisory Union No. 55          | 26.58      |            |
|                                   | <hr/>      | \$1,209.93 |

## INSURANCE, TREASURER'S BONDS, AND EXPENSES

|                               |          |          |
|-------------------------------|----------|----------|
| Curtis Insurance Agency       | \$295.47 |          |
| First National Bank of Boston | 15.00    |          |
| Maurice Randall               | 281.81   |          |
|                               | <hr/>    | \$592.28 |

## ADDITIONS AND IMPROVEMENTS TO BUILDING

|            |          |
|------------|----------|
| C. C. True | \$348.00 |
|------------|----------|

## NEW EQUIPMENT

|  |         |          |
|--|---------|----------|
| Bioscope Manufacturing Co.               | \$88.00 |          |
| Casey Paper Co.                          | 25.00   |          |
| D. D. Chase Lumber Co.                   | 17.00   |          |
| Dover Mechanic Arts School               | 60.00   |          |
| Grossman's of New Hampshire              | 49.33   |          |
| Haverhill Hardware & Plumbing Supply Co. | 35.04   |          |
| J. J. Moreau & Son, Inc.                 | 125.00  |          |
| Mainco Trading Co.                       | 21.55   |          |
| Progressive Ideas Equipment Corp.        | 17.53   |          |
| Salem School District                    | 150.00  |          |
| Star Equipment Co.                       | 11.25   |          |
| Harry Sunanday                           | 35.00   |          |
| Thompson-Winchester Co.                  | 11.34   |          |
|  | <hr/>   | \$646.04 |

## PRINCIPAL OF DEBT

|                               |            |
|-------------------------------|------------|
| First National Bank of Boston | \$2,000.00 |
|-------------------------------|------------|

## INTEREST ON DEBT

|                                      |          |             |
|--------------------------------------|----------|-------------|
| First National Bank of Boston        | \$250.00 |             |
| Merrimack National Bank of Haverhill | 60.00    | \$310.00    |
|                                      | <hr/>    | <hr/>       |
| GRAND TOTAL                          |          | \$40,761.38 |

## BUDGET WORK SHEET

This is a presentation of the budget work sheet upon which your School Board has been operating during 1950-51 and their estimated expenses for the year 1951-52. It must be taken into consideration that monies appropriated in the month of March, to be used the following year do not necessarily correspond in individual items, because of the impossibility of projecting the rising price indexes twelve months hence.

## HAMPSTEAD SCHOOL BOARD

|                                      | Expended<br>1950-51 | Appropriated<br>1951-52 | Proposed<br>1952-53 |
|--------------------------------------|---------------------|-------------------------|---------------------|
| <b>ADMINISTRATION</b>                |                     |                         |                     |
| Salaries of District Officers        | \$318.00            | \$320.00                | \$320.00            |
| Superintendent's Salary              | 443.65              | 464.49                  | 486.89              |
| Tax for State Supervision            | 306.00              | 340.00                  | 364.00              |
| Salaries of Administrative Personnel | 240.05              | 365.44                  | 351.99              |
| Supplies and Other Expenses          | 228.93              | 308.30                  | 369.83              |
| <b>INSTRUCTION</b>                   |                     |                         |                     |
| Salaries of Teachers and Principals  | 20,917.27           | 22,662.11               | 24,224.92           |
| Books and Other Instructional Aids   | 331.34              | 450.00                  | 500.00              |
| Scholars' Supplies                   | 390.75              | 700.00                  | 800.00              |
| Salaries of Clerical Assistants      | 100.00              | 100.00                  | 100.00              |
| Other Instructional Expenses         | 477.57              | 955.59                  | 1,227.52            |

|  |          |          |           |
|--|----------|----------|-----------|
| OPERATION OF SCHOOL PLANT              |          |          |           |
| Salaries of Janitors                   | 1,976.00 | 2,080.00 | 2,180.00  |
| Fuel or Heat                           | 1,759.51 | 1,900.00 | 1,900.00  |
| Water, Light, and Other Expenses       | 733.24   | 800.00   | 800.00    |
| MAINTENANCE OF SCHOOL PLANT            |          |          |           |
| Repairs and Replacements               | 1,199.87 | 730.00   | 941.00    |
| AUXILIARY ACTIVITIES                   |          |          |           |
| Health Supervision                     | 349.66   | 470.43   | 907.92    |
| Transportation                         | 3,488.88 | 3,500.00 | 3,650.00  |
| Tuition                                | 0        | 0        | 0         |
| Special Fund Activities                | 139.10   | 300.00   | 300.00    |
| Spec. Funds—Lunch Program Labor        | 912.50   | 1,240.00 | 1,240.00  |
| Special Funds—Lunch Program Reimburse. | 1,342.81 | 0        | *1,400.00 |
| Contingency Fund                       |          |          | 200.00    |
| FIXED CHARGES                          |          |          |           |
| State Retirement                       | 1,209.93 | 1,561.39 | 1,488.10  |
| Insurance, Bonds and Expenses          | 592.28   | 1,500.00 | 825.00    |
| CAPITAL OUTLAY                         |          |          |           |
| Lands and New Buildings                | 0        | 0        | 0         |
| Additions and Improvements to Property | 348.00   | 0        | 100.00    |
| Equipment                              | 646.04   | 550.00   | 435.00    |
| Payments into Capital Reserve          | 0        | 0        | 0         |



## DEBT, INTEREST AND OTHER CHARGES

|                               |             |             |             |
|-------------------------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Payments of Principal of Debt | 2,000.00    | 2,000.00    | 2,800.00    |
| Payments of Interest on Debt  | 310.00      | 230.00      | 307.00      |
| Totals                        | \$40,761.38 | \$43,527.75 | \$48,219.17 |

## INCOME

|   |             |             |             |
|---|-------------|-------------|-------------|
| Cash on hand                            | \$1,004.33  | 0           | 0           |
| From Town Appropriation                 | 32,827.89   | 38,803.99   | 43,999.27   |
| Special Appropriation                   | 590.00      | 900.00      | 0           |
| State Aid                               | 3,043.76    | 3,043.76    | 1,137.90    |
| Federal Aid for Home Economics          | 313.22      | 0           | 0           |
| Tuition                                 | 445.00      | 300.00      | 300.00      |
| Reimbursement from Civic Club           | 60.00       | 0           | 902.00      |
| Trust Funds                             | 535.13      | 480.00      | 480.00      |
| Federal Lunch—Reimbursements            | 1,342.81    | 0           | *1,400.00   |
| Other Lunch Program Labor Reimbursement | 522.20      | 0           | 0           |
| Other—Roof Insurance                    | 83.08       | 0           | 0           |
| Totals                                  | \$40,767.72 | \$43,527.75 | \$48,219.17 |

\*These amounts (\$1400) offset each other; they represent the Federal Reimbursements for the School Lunch Program, and do not in any way affect the amount to be raised by the town.

## REPORT OF THE SUPERINTENDENT OF SCHOOLS

To the School Board and Citizens of Hampstead:

I am happy to present my second annual report as Superintendent of your schools. This report is made under the headings listed below and will be followed by reports of the school principal, Supervisors of Art and Music, and the School Nurse:

1. School Enrollment and Census
2. Personnel and In-Service Training
3. Curriculum and Special Services
  - A. Testing
  - B. Clinics
4. School Buildings
5. Finances

## SCHOOL ENROLLMENT AND CENSUS

The school population in Hampstead has shown very little change during the past year. The following tabulation which shows the enrollment by grades and by rooms for the current year (as of January 1952), indicates a slight decrease in enrollment in the primary room. The present enrollment of 35 children is however greater than is recommended by educational authorities; a more ideal situation would be 25 or 30 children per teacher, to give the most to each child. The smaller group is even more necessary with a combination of grades than it would be with only one grade per room.

ENROLLMENT IN HAMPSTEAD SCHOOLS AS OF  
JANUARY, 1952

| CENTRAL SCHOOL |               | Total in Room | HIGH SCHOOL |               |
|----------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|---------------|
| Grade          | No. of Pupils |               | Grade       | No. of Pupils |
| 1              | 18            | (35)          | 9           | 16            |
| 2              | 17            |               | 10          | 16            |
| 3              | 13            | (22)          | 11          | 9             |
| 4              | 9             |               |             |               |
| 5              | 17            |               |             |               |

| CENTRAL SCHOOL             |               |               | HIGH SCHOOL |               |
|----------------------------|---------------|---------------|-------------|---------------|
| Grade                      | No. of Pupils | Total in Room | Grade       | No. of Pupils |
| 6                          | 13            | (30)          | 12          | 13            |
| 7                          | 12            |               | Total High  | 54            |
| 8                          | 14            | (26)          | Total Elm.  | 113           |
| Total Elem. 113            |               | (113)         |             |               |
| Grant Total High and Elem. |               |               |             | 167           |

The following tabulation of the school census shows the total number of children in Hampstead by age groups as of September 30, 1951, as compared to September 30, 1950, and indicates that the total number of children in town will not show any appreciable change in the near future.

| Age              | 1950 | 1951 |
|------------------|------|------|
| Less than 1 year | 10   | 10   |
| 1                | 10   | 13   |
| 2                | 17   | 9    |
| 3                | 15   | 16   |
| 4                | 13   | 18   |
| 5                | 13   | 11   |
| 6                | 16   | 17   |
| 7                | 21   | 14   |
| 8                | 15   | 17   |
| 9                | 11   | 11   |
| 10               | 11   | 14   |
| 11               | 9    | 15   |
| 12               | 19   | 11   |
| 13               | 12   | 20   |
| 14               | 15   | 11   |
| 15               | 16   | 18   |
| 16               | 9    | 16   |
| Totals           | 232  | 241  |

#### PERSONNEL AND IN-SERVICE TRAINING

Hampstead children are fortunate to have a continuity in the teaching personnel since the past year. It is not un-

usual during these years of teacher shortages to have large "turnovers" from year to year in the smaller districts. The only person who did not return last September was Mrs. Eleanor Houston who had done outstanding work in the primary grades for the past three years. To replace Mrs. Houston, the School Board elected Mrs. Margaret Wood King of Augusta, Maine. Mrs. King received a Bachelor's Degree at Gorham, Maine Teachers College in 1948, and has had teaching experience in the public schools of Epping, New Hampshire and of Newton, Massachusetts.

Roland Emerson has continued as the custodian for the school buildings.

Hampstead teachers are well qualified in thier respective fields; 100% of the faculty continues to hold membership in the National Education Association and the New Hampshire State Teachers' Association and have been alert to keep abreast of changes in school philosophies and practices. Two of the group took a course at Salem during the last half of last year in the Teaching of Science in the Elementary School; they have all completed a Red Cross First Aid Course since September 1951.

The following quote from correspondence dated January 25, 1952 to New Hampshire superintendents and school board members from our Commissioner of Education states that,

"The State Board of Education is greatly concerned about the most crucial problem of public education today—that of providing our children with well qualified teachers. Although our State Teachers Colleges will graduate this June the largest number of elementary teachers in years, the great nationwide teacher shortage plus an increase of some 3,200 elementary pupils in September, 1952, will place our New Hampshire Schools in the most critical situation since the war."

"One solution to the problem is to reduce in this state the large teacher turnover which is approx-

imately 10%. In a recent study our superintendents estimated that New Hampshire loses annually to neighboring states some 57 elementary teachers and 50 high school teachers. This is a terrific loss to a state as small as New Hampshire.

"Two of the best ways to halt this trend and to set about holding our good teachers in New Hampshire, as well as recruiting young people to enter the profession, are to pay adequate salaries based upon a definitely established salary schedule and to provide satisfactory conditions of employment. Therefore, it is suggested that local school boards act at once to develop a salary schedule or guide for their school system. Teachers, superintendent, principals, and representatives from the public should be invited to participate in the process. The State Department of Education will be glad to assist also. Local school boards which have already developed and adopted salary schedules can testify to their value and improved morale-building results."

## CURRICULUM AND SPECIAL SERVICES

Except for continued improvement in teaching techniques and procedures, the curriculum has continued with about the same offerings in the elementary grades. As a result of discussions at Supervisory Union Teachers' Meetings, teachers are attempting to emphasize the improvement of instruction in handwriting.

Being mindful of possible emergencies involved with the present world conflict and as a result of the Red Cross First Aid Course taken by all teachers (mentioned under Personnel and In-service Training), all Hampstead children are being given special weekly instruction in First Aid. One of the important but more intangible objectives of this work is to condition the minds of the children for possible results of attack on our country.

In the High School, two years of shopwork has been an important addition to the curriculum; boys are now profit-

ing from the excellent instruction of Mr. Walter White in woodworking for an eighty minute period each day.

#### A. TESTING

The testing program which is being conducted in the Hampstead schools makes it possible for each teacher to know the relative mental ability and achievement of each of her pupils. It is only through a knowledge of the mental ability of each pupil that a teacher can diagnose his difficulties and thereby teach with the greatest efficiency.

#### B. CLINICS

Through the efforts of our School Nurse, Mrs. Soule, children have been taken to psychiatric and mental hygiene clinics when individual cases have warranted it; such specialized services are necessary in order that regular teachers may work with all pupils to the greatest effectiveness.

### SCHOOL BUILDINGS

The Central School (re-constructed in 1945 after having been destroyed by fire that year), is in excellent general repair. The School Board has been alert to give attention to the many minor repairs that were necessary in the school buildings. Some of the more important improvements have included rather extensive re-arrangement of the Home Economic and Science Laboratory in the High School. Plans were made during the early part of the 1950-51 school year to improve the Home Economics facilities in order that the relatively large number of girls could receive more modern instruction in that subject as well as to meet some simple and reasonable requirements which have permitted us to receive Federal Financial Aid for Home Economics during the past two years.

Some of the items which were added are: a new modern home-size range, an additional sink, a new folding sewing table made by the boys in the school shop, and considerable re-arrangement and addition of counter work-space and storage cupboards.

Some recommended improvements that should be made as soon as possible are:

1. Paint outside woodwork on Central School.
2. Raise the level of the outside entrance to the furnace room in order to prevent water from flowing into the furnace room.
3. Hot-top the area between the east side exit of the building and the playground area so that children will not travel through mud and thereby damage their shoes and track mud and gravel into the building.
4. Provide new pupils' seats and desks in the intermediate grades and in the High School main room.
5. Increase lighting and dishwashing facilities in the kitchen of the Central School.
6. Paint and draw sash on the exterior of the High School building.
7. Cover the High School floors with asphalt tile or with some other comparable floor covering.
8. Provide new window-shades in the main room and in the office of the High School.
9. Paint the interior of the High School building.

## FINANCES

Since the entrance of this country into World War II, the amount of money expended each year for public education throughout the country has shown substantial increase over the preceding year. This general trend has been true also in Hampstead. It should be noted, however, that the actual purchasing power of expenditures has not shown corresponding increases. Costs of materials and commercial services continue to increase with a resultant effect on our school costs.

As a result of the last State legislative session, Hampstead is now receiving (for the 1951-52 and the 1952-53 school years) \$1,137.90 school state aid money, as compared with the \$3,043.76 received during the previous two-year period.

During the past year we have profited by consultant services provided by our various state departments. From the State Department of Education the following people have visited in this area at our invitation on various subjects according to their respective fields:

Dr. Hilton C. Buley, Commissioner of Education (Supervisory Union Meeting at Hampstead on December 11, 1951).

Dr. Harold Hyde, Chief, Division of Educational Research (Area meeting of School Board members and others at Hampstead on January 29, 1951 for a general discussion of state aid to schools).

Dr. Alice Baumgartner, Director, Art Education.

Miss Madeleine E. Bartell, Director, Elementary School Services.

Miss Ruth Cutter, Director, School Lunches.

Mr. Howard E. Swain, Director, Trade and Industrial Education.

Miss Verna Payson, Director, Home Economics Education.

Mr. Curtis R. Bresnahan, Director, Child Welfare Services

Mr. Paul E. Farnum, Chief, Division of Administrative Services

Mr. Earl H. Little, Director, Agricultural Education and Acting Director, Distributive Education.

Mr. William F. Glavin, Supervisor, Vocational Rehabilitation.

We have had consultation and visits with representatives of the office of the New Hampshire State Fire Marshal and of the State Board of Health in each case, every school in the Supervisory Union has been visited by these representatives accompanied by the superintendent. Reports have listed various suggested improvements which the various School Boards are correcting as finances will permit.



CHILDREN OF TODAY ARE "BETTER"! It would be of interest to the critics of our present day schools to learn that Dr. William Durton of Harvard University has recently made the following declaration in an editorial in the Boston Herald:

"The children today are not merely better than those of 20, 30 or 50 years ago. They are very greatly better. Over 275 controlled studies have been made yielding mathematically precise evidence. One of them in New York City was carried on for 6 years, involving 69 elementary schools and approximately 60,000 children. All the studies in the past 30 years have been made either by regular classroom teachers or with their collaboration. . . Criticism of the three R's has been going on for several centuries, being accelerated in all periods of social crisis. The 'Boston Herald' commented editorially in 1894: 'It is really a rare thing to find young people at from 15 to 19 years of age who can write or spell out of the common, or prepare a composition correctly.' The late Commissioner Butterfield of New Hampshire compiled statements from school committee reports in 50 New England towns covering a period of 96 years. Each generation asserts positively that the schools do not do so well as they did '20 years ago'."

Education is a business enterprise; it is the biggest in America. It deals with a product which is closest to the hearts of the people and it has a responsibility equalled by no other business.

Your School Board, superintendent and teachers are always receptive to constructive suggestions for the betterment of the schools.

Your Parent Teacher Association has taken healthy progressive stands for improvements.

In conclusion, I again thank the School Board, school personnel, students, parents, and community organizations for their continued co-operation in making the work of our schools enjoyable and successful.

Respectfully submitted,

JONATHAN A. OSGOOD

Superintendent of Schools

LIST OF TEACHERS AND STATISTICS  
JUNE 30, 1951

| School and Teachers as of Sept. 1952             | Grades | Boys | Girls | Total | Average Membership | Average Attendance | Percent of Attendance |
|--|--------|------|-------|-------|--------------------|--------------------|-----------------------|
|  |        |      |       |       |                    |                    |                       |
| HIGH SCHOOL                                      |        |      |       |       |                    |                    |                       |
| David Greenlaw                                   | 9-12   | 28   | 26    | 54    | 49.55              | 47.07              | 94.55                 |
| Principal, Mathematics, Science                  |        |      |       |       |                    |                    |                       |
| Gladys R. Dyke, Social Stud., English, Languages |        |      |       |       |                    |                    |                       |
| Frances Hoyt Commercial Dept., Social Studies    |        |      |       |       |                    |                    |                       |
| Gloria White Home Economics, Biology             |        |      |       |       |                    |                    |                       |
| Walter White Social Studies, Physics             |        |      |       |       |                    |                    |                       |
| CENTRAL SCHOOL                                   |        |      |       |       |                    |                    |                       |
| Margaret King*                                   | 1-2    | 25   | 16    | 41    | 33.47              | 29.85              | 89.18                 |
| Beatrice Reynolds                                | 3-4    | 19   | 14    | 33    | 28.15              | 25.34              | 90.01                 |
| Lora Sinskie                                     | 5-6    | 16   | 12    | 28    | 25.09              | 23.78              | 94.79                 |
| Walter White                                     | 7-8    | 15   | 17    | 32    | 28.20              | 26.93              | 95.47                 |
| TOTALS   |        | 103  | 85    | 188   | 160.97             | 150.63             | 93.58                 |
| Prudence Douglas, Music Supervisor               |        |      |       |       |                    |                    |                       |
| Dorothea S. Roth, Art Supervisor                 |        |      |       |       |                    |                    |                       |
| Jessie R. Soule, R. N. School Nurse              |        |      |       |       |                    |                    |                       |
| * Replacing Eleanor Houston                      |        |      |       |       |                    |                    |                       |

## 1950 POPULATION FIGURES

The Table below indicates the total 1950 population\* figures for the State, Rockingham County, towns in Supervisory Union No. 55 and certain other towns in Rockingham County.

| LOCATION          | Total<br>Popula-<br>tion<br>1950 | Percent<br>Increase<br>Since<br>1940 | School Popula-<br>tion Gr. 1-8<br>Based on av.<br>Membership |         | Percent<br>Increase<br>In Elem.<br>School<br>Popula-<br>tion |
|-------------------|----------------------------------|--------------------------------------|--|---------|--|
|                   |                                  |                                      | 1940-41  | 1950-51 |  |
| Rockingham County | 70,059                           | 20.5                                 |  |         |  |
| State of N. H.    | 533,242                          | 8.5                                  |  |         |  |
| Salem**           | 4,805                            | 47.1                                 | 449.1  | 659.3   | 47   |
| Atkinson**        | 492                              | 13.4                                 | 50.7   | 90.9    | 80   |
| Hampstead**       | 902                              | 9.6                                  | 107.5  | 105.9   |  |
| Newton**          | 1,173                            | 30.3                                 | 99.0   | 129.3   | 31   |
| Plaistow**        | 2,082                            | 47.2                                 | 180.0  | 242.2   | 34   |
| Derry             | 5,826                            | 7.9                                  |  |         |  |
| Raymond           | 1,428                            | 6.6                                  |  |         |  |
| Epping            | 1,796                            | 11.0                                 |  |         |  |
| Exeter            | 5,664                            | 4.9                                  |  |         |  |
| Rye***            | 1,982                            | 59.1                                 |  |         |  |
| Windham***        | 964                              | 53.0                                 |  |         |  |

\* "Population and areas of cities, towns and counties from New Hampshire State Planning and Development Commission, June 1950."

A few towns that are not bounded by Massachusetts are shown above to show difference in population increase due to this factor.

\*\* Towns Composing Supervisory Union No. 55.

\*\*\* Only two towns in Rockingham County showing more than 47% increase in population between 1940-1950.

## SCHOOL CALENDAR—1951-1952

|                        |                                     |
|------------------------|-------------------------------------|
| Teachers' Meeting      | Tuesday, September 4th              |
| Fall Term Begins       | Wednesday, September 5th            |
| Fall Term Closes       | Friday, December 21st               |
| Winter Term Begins     | Wednesday, January 2nd              |
| Winter Term Closes     | Friday, February 15th               |
| Mid-winter Term Begins | Monday, February 25th               |
| Mid-winter Term Closes | Friday, April 18th                  |
| Spring Term Begins     | Monday, April 28th                  |
| Spring Term Closes     | On or about Monday, June 16th       |
|                        | Tuesday, June 17th (Hampstead only) |

## HOLIDAYS

|                     |                                       |
|---------------------|---------------------------------------|
| Thanksgiving Recess | November 22nd and 23rd                |
| Good Friday         | April 11th (Salem and Hampstead only) |
| Memorial Day        | May 30th                              |

## DAYS CREDITED FOR PROFESSIONAL IMPROVEMENT

|                            |                       |
|----------------------------|-----------------------|
| State Teachers' Convention | October 18th and 19th |
|----------------------------|-----------------------|

By ruling of the State Board of Education, schools must be in session for 180 days.

## REPORT OF THE PRINCIPAL

To the Superintendent and School Board:

The annual report for Hampstead High School follows:

Enrollment by grades.

|          | <i>Boys</i> | <i>Girls</i> | <i>Total</i> |
|----------|-------------|--------------|--------------|
| Grade 12 | 6           | 7            | 13           |
| Grade 11 | 4           | 5            | 9            |
| Grade 10 | 8           | 8            | 16           |
| Grade 9  | 6           | 10           | 16           |
| Totals   | 24          | 30           | 54           |

Courses of study are offered in the following curricula: Classical, General, Home Economics, and Commercial. This year a course in General Shop has been added for boys.

Three of the seven graduates of 1951 are studying at post secondary institutions. One entered the Navy and three are employed.

The hot lunch program appears to be operating successfully. Approximately one hundred twenty-five lunches are served each day.

The Home Economics room has been improved with the addition of cupboards, working space, a sink, and a gas stove.

Several educational movies have been shown to the pupils. Those of general value are shown to the entire school, while those related to subject matter fields are shown to those particular groups.

Extra-Curricular activities occupy much of the time of the students. The Senior play was presented in December under the direction of Mrs. Gladys Dyke. A series of socials were presented by the classes in the spring and fall. Class activities are chiefly directed towards raising funds for the



**Back Row**, left to right: Lewis Darling, Robert Martel, Co-Captain Stanley Lapham, Coach David Greenlaw, Richard Barthelmess, Co-Captain Jonathan Barry, George Munroe, David Morris.

**Middle Row**: David Wentworth, Bruce Knox, Proctor Wentworth, Donald Brickett.

**Front Row**: Cheeleaders—Marie Curry, Beverly Duston, Dawn Covell, Elaine Mansur, Leader Carol Liberty.



**Front Row**, left to right: Co-Captain Charlotte Cross, Charlene Duston, Enid Duston, Elizabeth Boisse, Virginia Collette, Virginia Marshall.

**Back Row**, left to right: Kathleen Bailes, Erva Duston, Patricia Wentworth, Kathleen Kelly, Coach Gloria White, Co-Captain Elizabeth Holmquest, Patricia Randall, Constance Buttrick, Joyce Wakefield.

annual class trip. Although the task of raising sufficient money is not always easy, the benefits of the trip to the youngster are very worthwhile.

Basketball for boys and girls and baseball for boys was carried on successfully. The boys had unusual success in winning the league championships in basketball and baseball, and the League Tournament in basketball. They also qualified for the State Tournaments in basketball and baseball.

I wish to express my appreciation for the interest and cooperation shown by the faculty, superintendent, school board, and citizens of Hampstead in working for the improvement of educational opportunities for the youth of this community.

Respectfully submitted,  
DAVID A. GREENLAW,  
Principal

## REPORT OF THE ART SUPERVISOR

To Mr. Jonathan A. Osgood, Superintendent of Schools:

I hereby submit my annual report of the art activities and instructions in Hampstead.

The art experiences of the past five years have been a great source of both instruction and activities. A continuation of the fundamentals, and the creative work of the children was integrated with their subjects. When the occasion presented itself, units, murals, seasonal decorations and projects were completed.

This year, as in past years, the students' work was sent to the Director of Fine Arts in Concord, New Hampshire for their travel units. Some of the pictures were on exhibition at the Currier Art Gallery in Manchester, New Hampshire.

In cooperation with the Music Supervisor, pictures, posters, and decorations were made for the Operetta.

Each grade has an opportunity to decorate the main bulletin board. Also the seventh and eighth grades decorate the bulletin board in the teachers' room.

Decorations for the High School graduation were also completed.

The introduction of simple crafts, as well as snow sculptures completed this year's program.

In closing I wish to thank the teachers for their cooperation and interest.

Respectfully submitted,

DOROTHEA S. ROTH,  
Art Supervisor

### REPORT OF THE MUSIC SUPERVISOR

To Mr. Jonathan A. Osgood, Superintendent of Schools:

I herewith submit my second annual report as music supervisor in the public schools of Hampstead, N. H.

The elementary grades have been carrying out their usual music schedule. Each grade has had music reading, music appreciation, folk dancing and singing for pleasure.

In addition to the regular music routine the rhythm band has been practicing and has proved very proficient.

The High School Glee Club has about forty members this year. The group shows signs of being exceptional in their performance.

Our first public appearance was at the PTA Christmas Party. The rhythm band, dressed in uniform, made their first appearance of the year. The larger part of the program consisted of a concert by the Glee Club. They sang a group of Christmas songs which included the well-known carols as well as many of the popular Christmas songs of today. The performance was well received.

Plans are being made at the present time for a "Latin American Fiesta" to be given sometime in the early spring by the High School Glee Club.

In closing, I wish to thank those who have made this such a satisfactory and enjoyable year.

Respectfully submitted,

PRUDENCE DOUGLAS,  
Music Supervisor



## REPORT OF THE SCHOOL NURSE

To Mr. Jonathan A. Osgood, Superintendent of Schools:

Complete medical examinations were given to pupils in Grades one, four, eight, and twelve by Dr. Moore, Hampstead. Notification of all defects found were sent home. This is a new program and I am sure all pupils examined will benefit by this experience.

Routine visits were made to all class rooms to check on conditions and investigate the reason for absenteeism. I made many home visits to discuss physical defects and other problems and to obtain a better understanding of what the school through its health work is trying to teach and do for the child.

Home visitations build up a feeling of mutual understanding, sympathy, and friendliness by working together for the welfare of the child.

Pre-school round-up for children entering school in September was held in June. The home room teacher, principal, and nurse-teacher were present to meet the parents and children. Health histories were taken at the time of registration.

In November, the Tuberculin Patch Test was given to pupils in the eighth and twelfth grades and school personnel. Those having a positive reaction were X-rayed at Central School, Salem, New Hampshire, by Mr. Eugene Alden, technician for the New Hampshire Tuberculosis Association. A total of 45 in this Union were X-rayed, including students, parents and teachers. The X-rays were read by Dr. Robert Kerr of Manchester, Executive Director of the Tuberculosis Association, and all were found to be essentially normal or showed healed calcified glands.

Hearing testing was done this year with the pure tone audiometer and pupils having a hearing loss were referred to the family physician for treatment.

The Health Education Program has been greatly augmented by the use of audio-visual material obtained through the courtesy of the New Hampshire Board of Health. Films such as "Teeth Are to Keep," "It's Your Health," "The Walk-

ing Machine," "Time is Life," "Ski Revels," and many others were shown to give a background of clearly applied health information based on scientific knowledge so that the pupil might learn to take the responsibilities in regard to his own health behavior.

The added school population and additional services in the health program leave less time for adequate follow-up work that many pupils would greatly benefit by.

The nurse-teacher is no longer employed merely to administer first-aid or to see that sick children are transported home. She works intimately with the teacher in solving the problems of individual children. She is a close link between the class room and home. She is often called upon to act as an interpreter of the school program in individual homes and to acquaint the school personnel with conditions in the home.

It is impossible to evaluate the many benefits derived from the school health program. The benefits of the program are often felt by the pupil throughout his whole life.

In conclusion, I wish to express my appreciation for the fine cooperation of the School Committee, Mr. Osgood, parents and teachers. Without their interest and support, my work would have been quite futile.

Respectfully submitted,

JESSIE SOULE, R. N.,  
School Nurse

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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES and DEATHS

Registered in the

TOWN OF HAMPSTEAD, N. H.

For the Year Ending

DECEMBER 31, 1951

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# **Births Registered in the Town of Hampstead, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1951**

| Date of Birth | Place of Birth   | Name of Child          | Sex & C        |                  | Name of Father | Maiden Name of Mother | Birthplace of Father  | Birthplace of Mother          |
|---------------|------------------|------------------------|----------------|------------------|----------------|-----------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------------|
|               |                  |                        | Male or Female | Living or Stillb |                |                       |                       |                               |
| Jan. 15       | Haverhill, Mass. | Bruce W. Nadeau        | m              | l                | w              | Clarence A. Nadeau    | Eleanor L. Marcotte   | Haverhill, Mass.              |
| Mar. 3        | Hampstead, N. H. | Evangeline H. Rockwell | f              | l                | w              | Dana A. Rockwell      | Alice I. Clark        | Merrill, Me.                  |
| Apr. 21       | Derry, N. H.     | Kim Brown              | f              | l                | w              | Roger A. Brown        | Mary C. Beaudoin      | Haverhill, Mass.              |
| June 18       | Exeter, N. H.    | Leona M. Merrick       | f              | l                | w              | Raymond S. Merrick    | Shirley A. McCallum   | Somerville, Mass.             |
| June 24       | Methuen, Mass.   | Raymond Lee            | m              | l                | w              | Fred L. Lee           | Marion E. Fountain    | Lawrence, Mass.               |
| July 14       | Haverhill, Mass. | Stephen A. Arling      | m              | l                | w              | John Arling           | Corinne A. Catlin     | Malden, Mass.                 |
| July 24       | Haverhill, Mass. | Daniel S. Bezanson     | m              | l                | w              | Stephen D. Bezanson   | Bessie I. Whittaker   | Haverhill, Mass.              |
| Aug. 13       | Derry, N. H.     | William T. Kendall     | m              | l                | w              | Guy S. Kendall        | Ellen Murphy          | Ireland                       |
| Sept. 25      | Derry, N. H.     | Mary S. Putnam         | f              | l                | w              | William O. Putnam     | Louise R. Baillargeon | Durham, N. H.                 |
| Sept. 29      | Derry, N. H.     | Jane V. Gates          | f              | l                | w              | George P. Gates       | Doris Varney          | Sandown, N. H.                |
| Oct. 8        | Derry, N. H.     | David G. Whitmore      | m              | l                | w              | George E. Whitmore    | Eleanor M. Clark      | Haverhill, Mass.              |
| Nov. 16       | Derry, N. H.     | Herbert M. Houston Jr. | m              | l                | w              | Herbert M. Houston    | Geraldine E. Wight    | Hampstead, N. H.              |
| Dec. 8        | Haverhill, Mass. | Jill D. Wagner         | f              | l                | w              | John H. Wagner        | Bessie F. Spaulding   | Weymouth, Mass.<br>Barre, Vt. |

## Marriages Registered in the Town of Hampstead, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1951

| Date<br>1951 | Place of<br>Marriage | Name and Surname<br>of Groom and Bride | Residence<br>of each at<br>Time of<br>Marriage | Age of Each |        | Occupation of<br>Groom and<br>Bride | Place of Birth<br>of Each | Names of Parents                         | Condition | Name, Residence<br>and Official Station<br>of Persons by whom<br>Married |
|--------------|----------------------|--|--|-------------|--------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|--|-----------|--|
|              |                      |  |  | Male        | Female |                                     |                           |  |           |  |
| Jan. 20      | Hampstead,<br>N. H.  | Harry L. Oster                         | Lynnfield,<br>Mass.                            | 35 w        | 35 w   | Carpenter                           | Dutch East Indies         | Gustav H. Oster                          | 1         | Charles A. Brooks<br>Justice of Peace<br>Hampstead, N. H.                |
|              |                      | Helen M. Espinola                      | W. Peabody,<br>Mass.                           | 30 w        | 30 w   | At Home                             | New Hampshire             | Hilda U. Johnson<br>Arthur E. Belville   | 2         |  |
| Feb. 11      | Hampstead,<br>N. H.  | Joshua C. Noyes, Jr.                   | Atkinson,<br>N. H.                             | 19 w        | 19 w   | Poultry Picker                      | New Hampshire             | Mildred F. Wilson<br>Joshua C. Noyes     | 1         | Charles A. Brooks<br>Justice of Peace<br>Hampstead, N. H.                |
|              |                      | Nancy A. Houston                       | Hampstead,<br>N. H.                            | 19 w        | 19 w   | Poultry Picker                      | New Hampshire             | Hazel E. Farrington<br>Howard E. Houston | 1         |  |
| Feb. 19      | Manchester,<br>N. H. | Raymond E. Thibeault                   | Derry,<br>N. H.                                | 25 w        | 25 w   | Student                             | New Hampshire             | Florence J. Adams<br>Louis J. Thibeault  | 1         | John F. Russell<br>Catholic Priest<br>Manchester, N. H.                  |
|              |                      | Joyce E. Wentworth                     | Hampstead,<br>N. H.                            | 20 w        | 20 w   | Student Nurse                       | New Hampshire             | Marie A. Lavoie<br>Proctor W. Wentworth  | 1         |  |
| March 3      | Hampstead,<br>N. H.  | Vernon F. Micklon                      | Newburyport,<br>Mass.                          | 37 w        | 37 w   | Engineer                            | New Hampshire             | Ruth E. Eastman<br>Frank E. Micklon      | 2         | Charles A. Brooks<br>Justice of Peace<br>Hampstead, N. H.                |
|              |                      | Jeanne A. Goldthwaite                  | West Newbury,<br>Mass.                         | 28 w        | 28 w   | Teacher                             | Massachusetts             | Ellen Delarier<br>Charles L. Goldthwaite | 1         |  |
| March 4      | Hampstead,<br>N. H.  | Alfred H. Brickett                     | Hampstead,<br>N. H.                            | 23 w        | 23 w   | Army                                | New Hampshire             | Ruth E. Batchelder<br>Harold E. Brickett | 1         | Walter W. Lyon<br>Clergyman<br>Hampstead, N. H.                          |
|              |                      | Elizabeth F. Little                    | Hampstead,<br>N. H.                            | 20 w        | 20 w   | Nurse                               | New Hampshire             | Irene W. Wheeler<br>Perry E. Little      | 1         |  |
| May 18       | Hampstead,<br>N. H.  | Carroll W. Still, Jr.                  | Haverhill,<br>Mass.                            | 38 w        | 38 w   | Elec. Engineer                      | Massachusetts             | Esther Evans<br>Carroll W. Still         | 2         | Walter W. Lyon<br>Clergyman<br>Hampstead, N. H.                          |
|              |                      | Anita D. Knatt                         | Groveland,<br>Mass.                            | 31 w        | 31 w   | Coil Winder                         | Massachusetts             | Mabel A. Brackett<br>John C. Libby       | 2         |  |
| June 14      | Hampstead,<br>N. H.  | Bruce M. Bear                          | Reading,<br>Mass.                              | 50 w        | 50 w   | Tool Maker                          | Kansas                    | Louise A. Tabar<br>Charles G. Bear       | 2         | Walter W. Lyon<br>Clergyman<br>Hampstead, N. H.                          |
|              |                      | Ruth E. English                        | Salem,<br>Mass.                                | 28 w        | 28 w   | Tel. Operator                       | Massachusetts             | Clara E. Strickler<br>Ernest C. English  | 1         |  |
|              |                      |  |  |             |        |                                     |                           | Hazel E. Hanson                          |           |  |

# Marriages Registered in the Town of Hampstead, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1951

| Date<br>1951 | Place of<br>Marriage | Name and Surname<br>of Groom and Bride | Residence<br>of each at<br>Time of<br>Marriage | Age of Each | Color               | Occupation of<br>Groom and<br>Bride | Place of Birth<br>of Each | Names of Parents                                       | Condition | Name, Residence<br>and Official Station<br>of Persons by whom<br>Married |
|--------------|----------------------|--|--|-------------|---------------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|--|-----------|--|
| June 16      | Hampstead,<br>N. H.  | Paul F. Harrington                     | Everett,<br>Mass.                              | 24 w        | Pier                | Inspector                           | Massachusetts             | Frederick C. Harrington                                | 1         | Charles A. Brooks<br>Justice of Peace<br>Hampstead, N. H.                |
|              |                      | Mary E. Hennessey                      | Lynn,<br>Mass.                                 | 23 w        | Comp.               | Operator                            | Massachusetts             | Mary M. Cronin<br>John F. Hennessey                    | 1         |  |
| July 5       | Hampstead,<br>N. H.  | Donald A. McCarthy                     | Weymouth,<br>Mass.                             | 20 w        | Army                |                                     | Massachusetts             | Gladys J. Smith<br>William McCarthy                    | 1         | Charles A. Brooks<br>Justice of Peace<br>Hampstead, N. H.                |
|              |                      | June C. Thrasher                       | Weymouth,<br>Mass.                             | 18 w        | Clerk               |                                     | Massachusetts             | Lena Doucette<br>Norman L. Thrasher                    | 1         |  |
| July 29      | Hampstead,<br>N. H.  | William P. Cary                        | Boston,<br>Mass.                               | 21 w        | Mechanic            |                                     | Massachusetts             | Gertrude M. Banks<br>George L. Cary                    | 1         | Charles A. Brooks<br>Justice of Peace<br>Hampstead, N. H.                |
|              |                      | Jacqueline Jacobsen                    | Boston,<br>Mass.                               | 21 w        | Stenographer        |                                     | Massachusetts             | Hazel M. Sturgeon<br>Nick Jacobsen                     | 1         |  |
| Aug. 4       | Plaistow,<br>N. H.   | George L. David                        | Hampstead,<br>N. H.                            | 52 w        | Bartender           |                                     | Massachusetts             | Helen B. Tutty<br>Francis X. David                     | 1         | James W. Gilrain<br>Catholic Priest<br>Plaistow, N. H.                   |
|              |                      | Josephine B. Johnson                   | Hampstead,<br>N. H.                            | 51 w        | Waitress            |                                     | Massachusetts             | Jennie Hackey<br>Benjamin Boudreau                     | 2         |  |
| Aug. 10      | Hampstead,<br>N. H.  | Robert J. Lane                         | Lynn,<br>Mass.                                 | 23 w        | Baker               |                                     | Massachusetts             | Catherine Lavange<br>James H. Lane                     | 2         | Walter W. Lyon<br>Clergyman<br>Hampstead, N. H.                          |
|              |                      | Barbara L. Towne                       | Lynn,<br>Mass.                                 | 32 w        | Bank Clerk          |                                     | Massachusetts             | Gladys V. Hart<br>Henry F. Grouse                      | 2         |  |
| Aug. 25      | Hampstead,<br>N. H.  | William A. Simpson                     | Quincy,<br>Mass.                               | 26 w        | Construction Worker |                                     | Massachusetts             | Adelphine Cronch<br>Albert A. Simpson                  | 1         | Charles A. Brooks<br>Justice of Peace<br>Hampstead, N. H.                |
|              |                      | Norma J. Hall                          | Quincy,<br>Mass.                               | 20 w        | Machine Operator    |                                     | Massachusetts             | Dorothy D. Brown<br>Norman J. Hall<br>Eleanor E. Ellis | 1         |  |

# **Marriages Registered in the Town of Hampstead, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1951**

| Date<br>1951 | Place of<br>Marriage | Name and Surname<br>of Groom and Bride | Residence<br>of each at<br>Time of<br>Marriage | Age<br>of Each | Occupation of<br>Groom and<br>Bride | Place of Birth<br>of Each | Names of Parents                       | Condition | Name, Residence<br>and Official Station<br>of Persons by whom<br>Married |
|--------------|----------------------|--|--|----------------|-------------------------------------|---------------------------|--|-----------|--|
| Aug. 25      | Hampstead,<br>N. H.  | Charles P. Willey                      | Hampstead,<br>N. H.                            | 58 w           | Engineer                            | New Hampshire             | George F. Willey<br>Rose N. Gagnon     | 2         | W. Raymond Pierce<br>Clergyman<br>Hampstead, N. H.                       |
|              |                      | Hazel S. Stevens                       | Hampstead,<br>N. H.                            | 60 w           | Teacher                             | New Hampshire             | L. Wallace Stevens<br>Rosella Spollett | 1         |  |
| Aug. 25      | Plaistow,<br>N. H.   | Kenneth H. Clark                       | Hampstead,<br>N. H.                            | 22 w           | Navy                                | New Hampshire             | Walter F. Clark<br>Helen M. Adams      | 1         | James W. Gilrain<br>Catholic Priest<br>Plaistow, N. H.                   |
|              |                      | Mary K. Murphy                         | Hampstead,<br>N. H.                            | 23 w           | Navy                                | Massachusetts             | Parrick Murphy<br>Elizabeth Coughlin   | 1         |  |
| Sept. 8      | Wakefield,<br>N. H.  | James J. Rooney                        | Hampstead,<br>N. H.                            | 73 w           | Retired                             | Vermont                   | Barnard Rooney<br>Katie Hurell         | 2         | Roland L. Thornton<br>Clergyman<br>Wakefield, N. H.                      |
|              |                      | Lottie H. Reed                         | Haverhill,<br>Mass.                            | 73 w           | Homemaker                           | Massachusetts             | John Kidger<br>Charlotte A. Henson     | 2         |  |
| Nov. 21      | Hampstead,<br>N. H.  | William R. Russell                     | Worcester,<br>Mass.                            | 27 w           | Press Operator                      | Massachusetts             | William Russell<br>Martha Mackhee      | 2         | Charles A. Brooks<br>Justice of Peace<br>Hampstead, N. H.                |
|              |                      | Constance V. Guifreda                  | Worcester,<br>Mass.                            | 24 w           | Attendant Nurse                     | Massachusetts             | Harold Livsey<br>Anna Bonardi          | 2         |  |
| Nov. 24      | Hampstead,<br>N. H.  | Francis C. Grigway                     | Saugus,<br>Mass.                               | 40 w           | Plumber                             | Massachusetts             | Charles H. Grigway<br>Catherine Grant  | 2         | Charles A. Brooks<br>Justice of Peace<br>Hampstead, N. H.                |
|              |                      | Corine A. Cervera                      | South Boston,<br>Mass.                         | 25 w           | At Home                             | Massachusetts             | John Cervera<br>Marie Manuiel          | 1         |  |
| Nov. 24      | Plaistow,<br>N. H.   | David H. Cross                         | Hampstead,<br>N. H.                            | 18 w           | Poultryman                          | Massachusetts             | Hurley F. Cross<br>Beatrice M. Cross   | 1         | William B. Wylie<br>Pastor<br>Plaistow, N. H.                            |
|              |                      | Alice M. Haggett                       | Hampstead,<br>N. H.                            | 17 w           | Chenille Shop                       | New Hampshire             | Lorenzo Haggett<br>Frances Carr        | 1         |  |

# Deaths Registered in the Town of Hampstead, N. H., for the Year Ending December 31, 1951

| Date of Death | Place of Death   | Name and Surname of the Deceased | Age | Month | Day | Occupation         | Name of Father    | Maiden Name of Mother |
|---------------|------------------|----------------------------------|-----|-------|-----|--------------------|-------------------|-----------------------|
| Mar. 3        | Haverhill, Mass. | Ann G. Shannon                   | 83  | 8     | 1   |                    |                   |                       |
| Mar. 23       | Haverhill, Mass. | Christopher L. Miller            | 75  | 5     | 0   | Ret. Sta. Engineer | Henry Miller      | Jennie McLeod         |
| Mar. 27       | Hampstead, N. H. | Agnes T. Coombs                  | 82  | 4     | 13  | At Home            | Agustus True      | Harriet Frost         |
| May 21        | Haverhill, Mass. | Eleanor R. Wilson                | 98  | 0     | 13  |                    |                   |                       |
| July 6        | Haverhill, Mass. | Charles F. Coombs                | 99  | 3     | 12  |                    | Joseph Coombs     | Harriet Pevere        |
| Aug. 7        | Hampstead, N. H. | Golden G. Hayes                  | 65  | 4     | 28  | Woodheeler         | Frank P. Hayes    | Lena A. Young         |
| Sept. 6       | Haverhill, Mass. | Pearl M. Barrett                 | 61  | 5     | 10  | Sch. Prin. Ret.    | John B. Maddocks  | Annie Rhodes          |
| Oct. 9        | Hampstead, N. H. | Mary L. Coombs                   | 76  | 2     | 3   | Housewife          | George W. Bragdon | Mary A. Tabor         |
| Oct. 19       | Hampstead, N. H. | Harriet M. Gray                  | 47  | 8     | 5   | Tax Dept. Mass.    | George W. Gray    | Helen Gordon          |
| Dec. 4        | Hampstead, N. H. | John J. Lee                      | 53  |       |     | Shoemaker          | David Lee         | Mary Crimmins         |
| Dec. 26       | Brentwood, N. H. | Josiah E. Coombs                 | 89  |       |     |                    | Joseph Coombs     | Harriet Hemingway     |

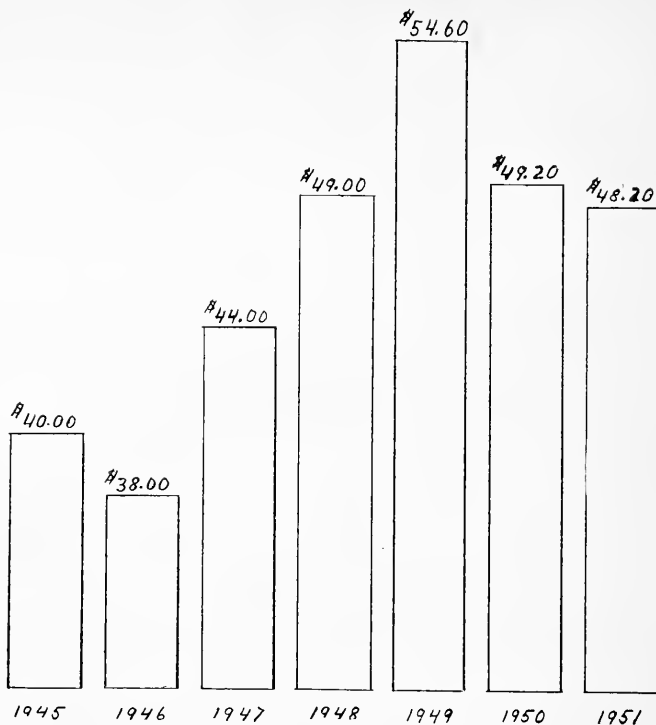




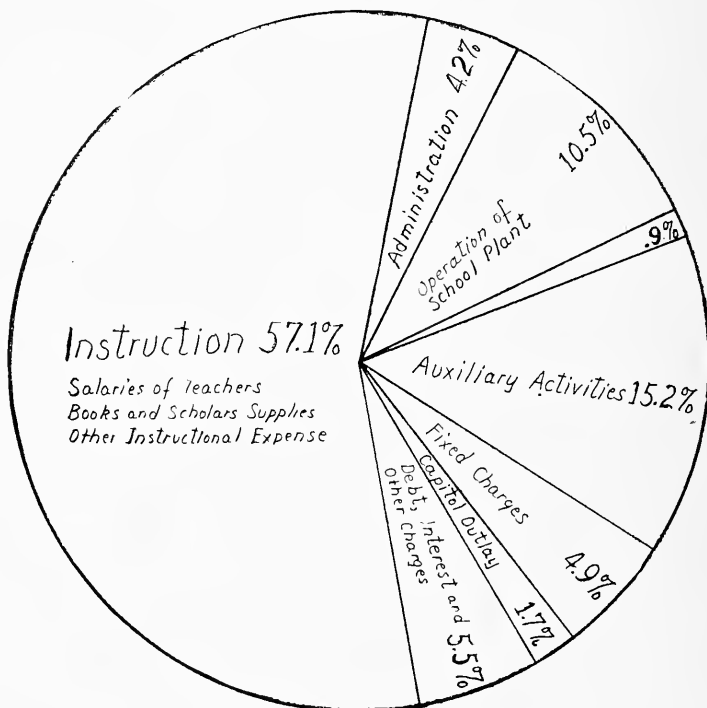




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